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## PORTUGAL WARS ON COMMUNISM

### Red Doctrine Spread By Foreign Agents GERMANY URGES CHALLENGE TO BOLSHEVIST MENACE

Lisbon, Sept. 11.

An important statement, indicating that the Portuguese Government intends to redouble its efforts to stamp out the sparks of Communism in the land, was contained in an official communique issued to-day.

The press declares the Government was aware that a Communism plot was brewing and might have avoided the naval outbreak at Lisbon. But sometimes, it is pointed out, international considerations are more important than losses.

Since the outbreak of the civil war in Spain, active propaganda and money have been spread about Portugal by agents of Spain and other foreign countries, and also by certain Portuguese elements. Poisoned by this campaign, Portuguese sailors aboard two of the warships in Lisbon planned to seize their vessels and join their Red comrades.

(It is not clear whether the revolting sailors intended to take their ships to Spain. In any event, the shore batteries at Lisbon opened fire on the mutinous vessels as soon as the crews rose and subdued them in short order).

"Attacked and insulted by foreign newspapers, notably English and French," the official communique states, "the Government is now obliged to intensify its offensive against Communism.—*Reuter*."

#### Oath Of Allegiance

Lisbon, Sept. 11.

An oath of allegiance to the Portuguese Constitution and "active repudiation of Communism and other subversive ideas" must henceforth be signed by the holders of state posts, men on the executive staff, in autonomous public services, as well as Portugal's diplomatic representatives abroad and candidates for professorships in state colleges at home, according to a Government decree just promulgated.

In the case of the army and navy an oath of allegiance to the flag will replace the written declaration.—*Reuter Special*.

#### Warns The World

Nuremberg, Sept. 11.

A warning to the world against Jewish Bolshevism was given by Dr. Josef Goebbels, Minister of Propaganda, when addressing the Nazi Party Congress here last night.

He declared that Europe's existence was at stake, and that the time had come to decide for or against Bolshevism, regardless of consequences.

The Jew had made Bolshevism and was its banner-bearer, he said. Germany was convinced that she would one day succeed in opening the eyes of the world to what Jewry and Bolshevism really were.

Bolshevism, he declared, must be destroyed if Europe were to be restored to health.—*Reuter*.

## BIG SUM FOR DEFENCE

## AUSTRALIAN BUDGET ANNOUNCEMENT

Canberra, Sept. 10.

Tax remissions amounting to £5,275,000 were announced by the Treasurer, Mr. Richard G. Casey, in introducing the Commonwealth Budget, which estimates revenue at £21,550,000, expenditure at £21,505,000, and defence expenditure at £3,809,000, which is an increase of £1,972,000.

Mr. Casey pointed out that the defence vote was the highest in the history of the Commonwealth.—*Reuter Special*.

## Air Armada Carries Red Army to War

Minsk, Sept. 10.

A flying army of 1,200 paratroopers, carrying portions of 18 field guns and 150 machine-guns, together with ammunition for all, jumped simultaneously from a vast armada of aircraft during the concluding phases of the Red Army's manoeuvres to-day.

Within eight minutes of landing, the paratroopers had assembled their guns and had routed "the enemy" by a rear action.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

## PRESIDENT HOOVER DEPARTS

## DELAYED SIX DAYS BY STRIKERS

San Francisco, Sept. 10.

The Dollar Company's liner, President Hoover, sailed at 2.45 p.m. (E.S.T.), six days late, following an agreement reached early this morning, providing for:

(1) Employers to agree to resume negotiations for a new contract with the Sailors' Pacific Union;

(2) The Union being pledged to supply a full crew for the President Hoover; and

(3) The Federal Government to conduct an immediate hearing into the case of Brenner, the Union delegate whose discharge led to trouble.—*United Press*.

## ITALIANS STRIKE AT REDS

### SECRET SOCIETY DISCOVERED ALL LEADERS ARRESTED

Rome, Sept. 10.

Despite Government efforts to secure secrecy, it is reported that Ova (the voluntary organisation for the suppression of anti-Fascism) has discovered and smashed a large Communist organisation, with headquarters in Rome and branches at Leghorn, Grosseto and elsewhere in Tuscany.

It is understood that some of the ringleaders of the organisation are high officials of the Fascist Party, and it is reported that all the leaders have been arrested and confined in the Regina Coeli gaol in Rome. It is also stated that several scores of workmen have been arrested.

It is understood that a young bricklayer, arrested for wearing a red necktie, betrayed the group.—*United Press*.

## Turkish Fleet To Cruise

### FIRST CALL WILL BE AT BRITISH BASE

Ankara, Sept. 10.

It is understood that a Turkish fleet, led by the battleship Yavuz, the former Goeben, will cruise the Mediterranean this month, leaving the home base on September 18.

Its first visit will be to the British naval base at Malta, in response to an invitation from the British Admiralty. It will then proceed to Phoenicia to return the visit of the Greek fleet to Istanbul a year ago.

Political circles here attach great importance to the cruise, since it is the first time a Turkish fleet has left national waters since Kemal Ataturk became President in 1923.—*Reuter*.

#### LONDON CONFERENCE

London, Sept. 11.

After consultation with the French Government, Great Britain has suggested to Germany and Italy that September 10 is a suitable date for the resumption of economic relations.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

## PREPARE FOR RETURN HOP



The American sportsman, Harry Hittman, and his co-pilot and friend, Dick Merrill, who recently flew from New York to England, have arrived at Speke aerodrome from London and are making preparations for a return flight across the Atlantic. Their start is dependant upon the weather. Merrill, now a New York resident, was formerly an officer in the R.A.F. He is the right in the above photograph.

## STRIKES CRIPPLE FRANCE

### FRESH OUTBREAK IN MANY CITIES SALENGRO TO INTERVENE

Paris, Sept. 11.

"Stay in" strikes are again creating a serious situation in France.

The Minister of the Interior, M. Salengro, is leaving immediately to direct negotiations between employers and employees at Lille, where 40,000 textile workers are striking.

Employers are demanding the evacuation of their factories before negotiations even commence.

The "stay in" strike at the Michelin works at Clermont-Ferrand has ended, but 6,000 metal workers at Douai have struck and 15,000 heavy industry employees are out in Marseilles. Here, as at Lille, employers refuse to negotiate as long as the works are occupied.

The dockers' strikes at Le Havre and Cherbourg have ended, but seamen have struck at Lorient and 40 vessels are held up there.—*Reuter*.

## CHINA'S PROGRESS REMARKED

### MANUFACTURES HER OWN NEEDS

Shanghai, Sept. 11.

Mr. Lawrence D. Seymour, vice-president of Dodge and Seymour, manufacturers agents of New York, arrived here to-day. He said despite the increase in domestic manufacturing, enabling China to provide for herself many products previously imported, the friendliest trade relations will prevail between the United States and China.

He did not expect American business in China to decline, he said, pointing out that increased consumption is likely to benefit foreign exporters and that better economic conditions in China will increase the amount of goods consumed.

For example, the enormous increased social intercourse between Chinese and foreigners since his last visit to the Far East twelve years ago, "this is one thing all friends of China hoped for," he said.

Mr. Seymour leaves on the President Taft on Saturday to visit other points in the Far East.—*United Press*.

#### JAPANESE NAVAL MOVEMENTS

The Japanese cruiser Watanabe is expected at noon on her way from Shanghai to Peking. The cruiser is said to be due on her way to Canton.—*Reuter*.

## INSURGENTS HARASSED

### Loyalists Expect Quick Victories STILL NO ATTACK ON SAN SEBASTIAN

London, Sept. 10.

The lengthy lull in operations on the San Sebastian front has occasioned speculation that negotiations for the surrender of that key city are proceeding. The Civil Governor, Senor Antonio Ortega, in a statement just issued, indicated that negotiations were taking place but denied that there had been any split in the Popular Front ranks.

An advance of 18 miles by Government troops on the Estremadura front, near Talevera, has been reported from Madrid. It is stated that General Asunsio is turning the insurgents' right wing.

On the other hand, a radio broadcast from Seville claims that on the Estremadura front the insurgents have advanced seven miles beyond Talevera.

A Government broadcast asserts that the rebels besieged in the Alcazar of Toledo have fled into a group of buildings near the fortress, having been shelled and bombed from their original positions.—*Reuter*.

#### Heat Stops Battle

With the Loyalists Before

Talevera, Sept. 10.  
The loyalists' offensive against the rebels, who have been driving on Madrid has reached a point only one and a quarter miles from Talevera. However, the Government attack has been halted due to the blazing heat, which, it is said, has killed more than the insurgents' bullets.

Loyalist headquarters have announced that three columns have made contact on the Government front protecting Madrid, and the line of defence thus runs for 115 unbroken miles. The Government believes that the long delay in the assault upon Madrid has frustrated the rebels' plan of action, since the loyalists are now prepared to resist.—*United Press*.

#### Oviedo's Danger

Madrid, Sept. 10.

The Asturian troops, without meeting serious resistance, penetrated almost to the centre of Oviedo to-day, in an effort to determine the extent and strength of the insurgents' defences, prior to launching a major attack.

Their object attained, the Government command announces, they retired to suburban posts and reported that the situation for the defenders was increasingly grave since reinforcements had not arrived.

Twenty Civil Guards of the Oviedo garrison have surrendered. A correspondent accompanying the loyalists at Oviedo reports that heavy aerial attacks have destroyed several houses and that, pending the final onslaught against the city, loyalists were harassing the rebels at every point.—*United Press*.

#### Madrid Buys Aid

Madrid, Sept. 10.

The garrison troops have been reinforced with the arrival of 5,000 militiamen from Catalonia, said to have been exchanged for one-third of the gold in the reserve of the Bank of Spain.

All the church bells in Madrid are to be melted to make armoured cars.—*Reuter*.

#### Ordered To Leave

Washington, Sept. 10.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, announced to-day that the cruiser Quincey, the destroyers Kane and Hatfield, and the Coast Guard cutter Cayuga, had been ordered to withdraw from Spanish waters and proceed to near-by neutral ports. There they will await possible emergency calls.

The American Government's representatives in Spain have been told to remain at their posts as long as they safely can, but are given full discretion to close their offices and flee the country if they consider that step necessary.—*Reuter*.

#### Hull Explains

Washington, Sept. 10.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, explained the decision for the (Continued on Page 5)

## NEW PENNY STAMP



Above is seen a reproduction of the new King Edward VIII penny stamp, recently issued at Home. There will be a new Colonial issue, bearing the King's effigy, at about the time of the Coronation, in which Hongkong will be included.

## King Again Treated For Ear Trouble

Vienna, Sept. 10.

For the third time in forty-eight hours, King Edward VIII to-day visited Professor Neumann, the noted ear specialist, who continued the light treatment previously given.

It is understood that Professor Neumann is most satisfied at the effect of the treatment so far.—*Reuter*.

## TRAWLER'S ADVENTURE UNFOLDING

### RUN-AWAY CAPTAIN STANDS TRIAL

### SMUGGLING AMBITION?

London, Sept. 10.

The story of the exploits of the Grimsby trawler, *Cit Pat*, was told at Bow Street Police Court to-day, when the trial of Captain George Osborne, the skipper of the vessel, was opened.

Counsel for the prosecution stated that Captain Osborne was the master of the ship, but his brother, James Osborne, a stowaway, shipped secretly when the *Cit Pat* left Grimsby. The engineer, named Jefferson, because he "was not in the know," was plied with drinks at Dover and when he returned to the wharf he found that the ship had disappeared.

It was further alleged that the entries in the log book were faked, and that on the journey Captain Osborne became "Captain Black" and his brother "A. Black."

A foreman stated that Captain Osborne told him he was taking the ship to South America for smuggling and gun-running.

Accused was remanded for one week.—*Reuter Special*.

## Royal Wedding In December

### COUPLE MAY VISIT DUTCH INDIES

The Hague, Sept. 11.

It is learned in Court circles that the marriage of Princess Juliana and Prince Bernhard zur Lippe Bielefeld is expected to take place in the second half of December.

The royal couple will visit the Dutch East Indies at the beginning of 1937, it is said.—*Reuter*.

#### MONEY FOR CHINA COLLEGES

New York, Sept. 10.

A meeting of forty representatives of the associated boards for Christian colleges in China decided to raise \$1,200,000 during 1936, to be divided between eleven leading colleges in China.—*United Press*.

## Balfour Plan Encouraged

### AMERICAN LABOUR TAKES A "HAND"

London, Sept. 10.

The Trade Union Congress at present meeting at Plymouth, has received a cable from the President of the American Federation of Labour, Mr. William Green, urging the Congress to try to prevent the limitation of Jewish immigration to Palestine.

The Congress is urged to oppose revision or abridgement of the Balfour Declaration, which governs the immigration plan for Jews in Palestine, and to which the Arab population is now bitterly objecting, and backing its demands for readjustment with arms. By the Balfour Declaration, the British Government pledged itself to create a Jewish national home in Palestine, but to respect the rights of the Arab population.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.



Victoria Crappelle says "Let's have  
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 Your lucky stone is the chrysolite. It gives prudence and good judgment.  
 Your flower is the yellow chrysanthemum and your lucky number is 4.

★  
 The worker on the left is wearing clogs over thin felt slippers.

described on Page 10.

TO potter about in the garden is not only uncommonly slimming to the figure but soothing to the mind. And it can be quite helpful to keep a specially gay outfit for your recreation as well. Though, of course, if you are a very serious gardener indeed you will simply sniff at this idea.

But for the real "potterer," Ettinger has sketched a few suggestions which she may find useful. There is the peasant girl outfit on the extreme left for not-too-warm weather. For instance. Its full skirt in thick crease-resisting linen is complete with side pocket for shears and what not, any plain blouse can be worn with it, and the little waistcoat might be in crash, with a spotted scarf at the neck—since a weather-beaten throat is not particularly attractive, however, charming sunburned arms may look. The large Mexican-like hat is an ordinary garden hat.

Next comes the checked trouser skirt of heavy cotton complete with front pockets, hitched up over the shoulders with a couple of crossed straps and worn over a short-sleeved cotton blouse. The peasant clogs are a useful adjunct on a damp day and should be worn over a pair of very thin felt slippers or heavy woollen socks, if you want to be really comfortable. You can buy the hat anywhere, but you will have to stitch on a strap to keep it on.

A pair of crease-resisting linen pyjamas constitutes the Chinese-looking outfit worn by the third figure. Pockets, with appropriate trimmings, have been added, and the sleeves cut short. Strings tied beneath the chin keep the coolie hat from slipping; the beach sandals are picturesque and inexpensive.

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 These gardening outfits might be made at home and eked out by an odd blouse or waistcoat and a wide-brimmed becoming rough straw hat. Make the pockets of thin felt.

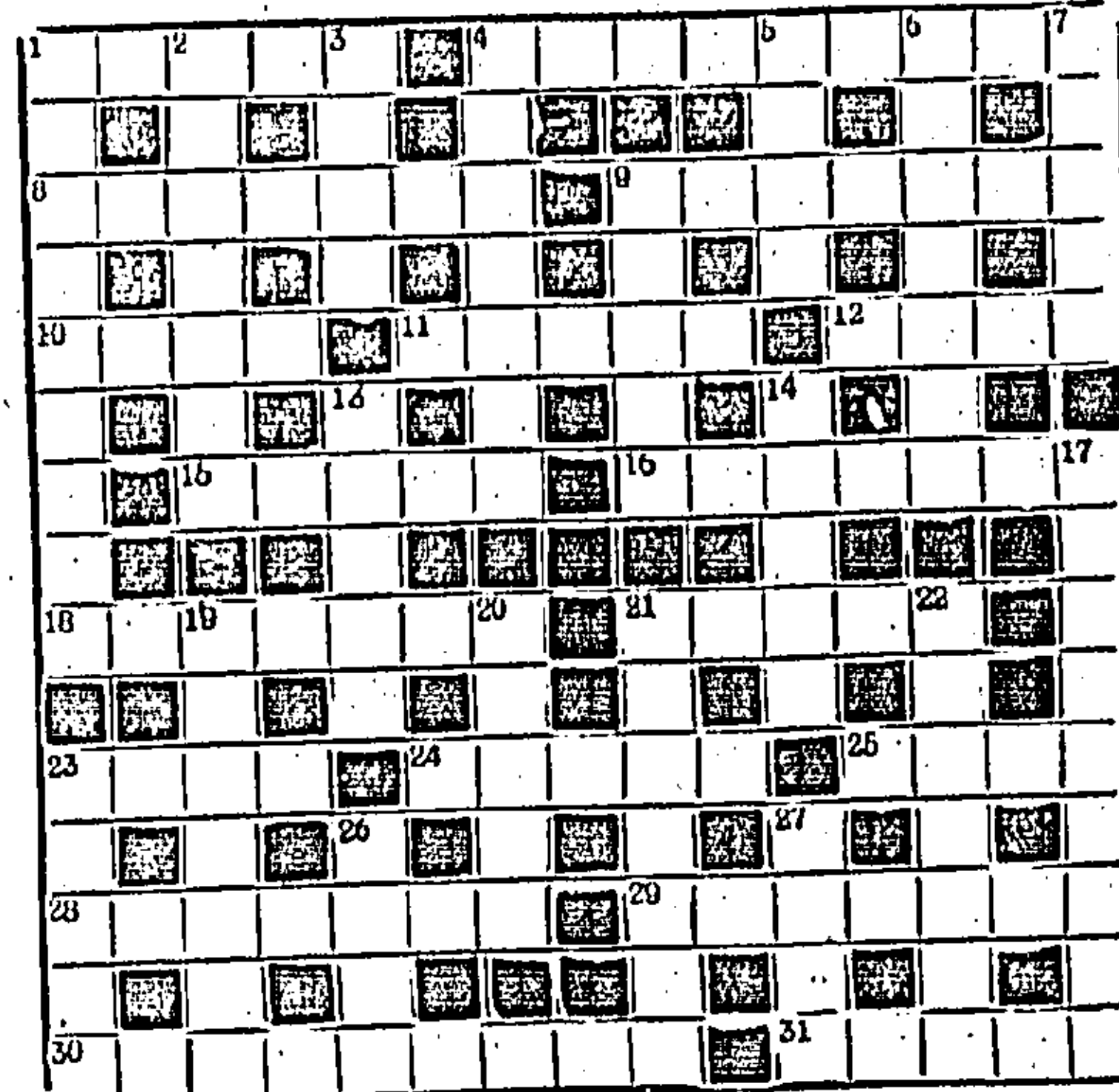
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**ACROSS**

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- 4 You anagram solvers can do it skilfully enough, whatever posers ants may set.
- 8 In the U.S.A. and Russia.
- 9 Not a frivolous giddiness.
- 10 Sierne's real corporal.
- 11 Disappointed if he doesn't get his commission.
- 12 No name for a great Dane.
- 15 Whom did this county last tie?
- 16 This shrub is angry if not kept in order.
- 18 A crafty designer.
- 21 "It is the little rift within the lute, that by and by will make the — mute" (Tennyson).
- 23 Weakens the spirit.
- 24 Good place to see shooting stars.
- 25 How many stories has this started?
- 26 A famous Walter.
- 29 In one's room.
- 30 Including everything but capital.
- 31 The source of manna?

**DOWN**

- 1 Blind but vulgarly not nearly so much.
- 2 Public schoolboy.
- 3 Fruit.
- 4 Just as great when altered (two words, 4, 3).
- 5 A feature of the sea obtainable by taking a card from the top.

6 If you don't trust your doctor, get another one.  
 7 No bye (anagram).  
 8 A don is her companion.  
 13 Supporter of bail.  
 14 Lively, but most of it is a real danger.  
 17 European capital.  
 19 The head of this Spaniard is concealed; go for the end!  
 20 Part of the river that is both one and the other headless.  
 21 A vulgar duffer who absorbs gin in unusual receptacles.  
 22 Firm.  
 23 Unnecessary order to the nudist.  
 26 In the South Seas.  
 27 Where 31 Across lies.

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EVERY poultry keeper knows only too well how much it costs to rear chicks to maturity, yet so many waste good money on the feeding of pullets which, for one reason or another, can never develop into profitable layers. Culling, the weeding out of all unpromising birds, is sometimes a depressing business, but it must be faced.

First, however, pullets should be sorted out from cockerels, as soon as possible after they are five weeks old. There is no difficulty in this, though many readers have written to me lately to ask what are the distinguishing characteristics.

In the light breeds, of course, cockerels can be picked out merely by their larger, redder combs. In the heavy breeds pullets can be detected by their shorter, thinner legs; longer, more boat-shaped bodies and longer tails. They are, indeed, altogether more advanced in feathering.

AT eight weeks these signs are even more obvious, the pullets' tails then being about 1½ inches in length. And at ten weeks it needs only a practised eye to tell which are which, comparing the neatness of the pullets, their smaller build and quicker movements with the ungainliness of the cockerels. The latter will be taller, but slower in action and clumsy. At this age their combs and wattles will be bigger and deeper in colour.

The first chicks to be banished from the pen, if they have not been banished already, are any that are deformed. Blindness is quite a common disability; and many chicks suffer from stiffness of the legs or withered feet, or have a dropped, useless wing. Malformed beaks occur frequently, too. When the mandibles are actually crossed the chick cannot take all the food it needs for satisfactory growth, and consequently will never thrive.

Apart from deformities, several unmistakable signs typify chicks, even

as young as five weeks, that are not worth keeping. Any which in comparison with the rest of the flock are undersized must be regarded with suspicion. If they are well-feathered, are quick and active and have keen appetites, there may be little to worry about, but when the head-plumage is staring, the eyes are dull and cloudy, and when beaks are abnormally long and curved, then the birds must be culled. Any which have wings longer than bodies, and are painfully thin, should also go.

MOREOVER, pullet chicks which are slow in feathering seldom turn out to be good layers, even if otherwise healthy. Particularly does this apply if the plumage develops unevenly, so that there are bare patches on the back or along the sides. Such a condition often goes with excessively fine bone, when legs are like match-sticks—an equally bad sign.

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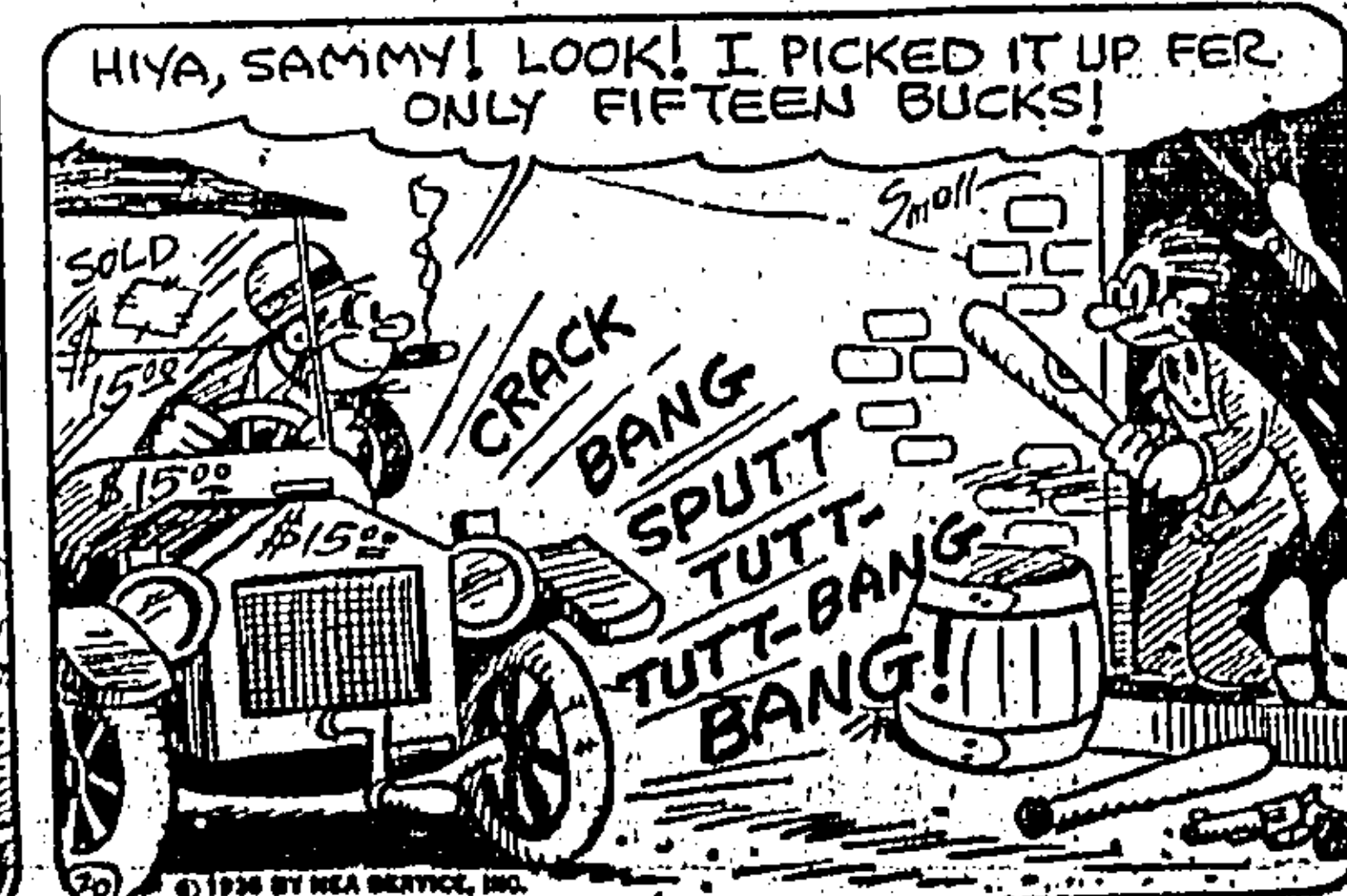
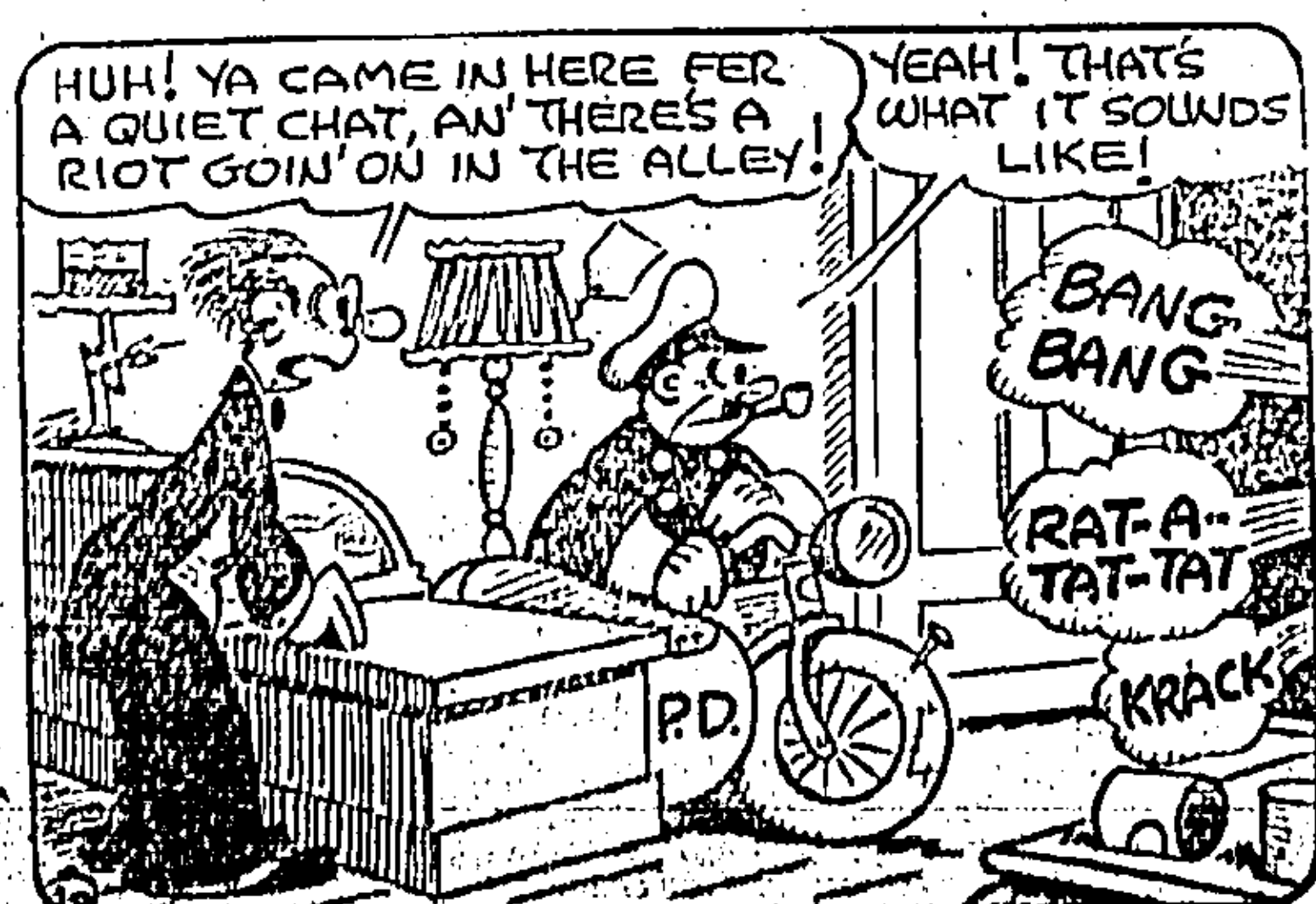
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Members of the Volunteer Force were presented with cartridge pencil cases as a gift from H.R.H. Princess Mary.

The Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., declared an interim dividend of three per cent.

Mr. M. K. Lo was admitted a solicitor at the Supreme Court. In moving his admission, Mr. Eldon Potter said Mr. Lo had had a distinguished career in England and in his final examination was placed first in the First Class Honours List.

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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MARKET STRONGER YESTERDAY

New York, Sept. 10. —Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market:—Stocks resumed their rise, but later in the day trading lightened due to lack of impressive leadership. Steel shares advanced on reports of the best August shipments for six years. Second-grade rails were strong. Amusements were very active. Packards were active, with the price but little changed, but other high-grade motor shares barely held their own. United were dull, but their shares had changed but little. Profit-taking increased near the close of the market. Sentiment on the Bonds Market was mixed, while stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly higher.

S. C. & F. New York office cables:—S. C. & F. Sentiment on the market has been somewhat mixed, but the general tone continues good. Shipments of United States steel for August totalled 923,703 tons against 924,497 for August of last year. Cotton: Business today was largely confined to trade operations and the transferring of near hedges to more distant positions. Public interest was less in evidence. Liverpool was a buyer for December. Sentiment is bullish, but hesitant on account of increasing hedging sales. Wheat: The market is sale and featureless. The government estimate of the crop totals 630,000,000 bushels. The latest Canadian crop estimate is given at 232,000,000 bushels.

Corn: Increasing arrivals of Argentine corn are expected by the Trade. Trading was light. The latest crop estimate is given as 1,458,000,000 bushels.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—"Retailers expect the best Autumn sales since 1930. It looks as if Westinghouse Electric sales for the whole of this year may be the highest for six years past. Wall Street is bullish as to the probable general trend of the market. Western Union also expects a dividend increase for this year. Brokers are bullish on motor shares. The French situation is the chief worry of traders at the present juncture. Some traders expect much higher cotton futures."

### REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:	Sept. 9.	Sept. 10.
30 Industrials	100.50	100.00
20 Rails	55.95	55.15
20 Utilities	35.04	35.01
40 Bonds	104.48	104.60
11 Commodity Index	67.01	66.94

### U.S. COMMODITY PRICES LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter.

New York Cotton	Oct. 10/11	12/10/12
October	12.10/11	12.14/15
December	12.08/09	12.08/09
January	12.05/06	11.99/09
March	12.03/04	11.97/08
May	12.00/01	11.94/01
July	11.97/00	11.91/01
Spot	12.00	12.50
New York Rubber	Sept. 10/11	10/10n
September	10.17n	10.10n
October	10.21/21	10.23b/24n
December	10.32/32	10.33/34
January	10.34n	10.30n

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September	110 1/2/110 3/4	111 1/2/111 3/4
December	94 1/2/94 3/4	94 3/4/94 1/2
May	90 1/2/90 3/4	90 3/4/90 1/2
Chicago Wheat	Sept. 11/12	11/12/11 1/2
September	111 1/2/111 3/4	111 3/4/111 1/2
December	110 1/2/110 3/4	110 3/4/110 1/2
May	109 1/2/109 3/4	109 3/4/109 1/2
Wednesday's sales:	15,357,000 bushels.	
Winnipeg Wheat	Oct. 80/80	80 1/2/80 1/2
October	80/80	80 1/2/80 1/2
December	87 1/2/87 3/4	87 3/4/87 1/2
May	89 1/2/89 3/4	89 3/4/89 1/2

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For	Per	Date and Time.
Japan	Anyo Maru	September 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Bangalore	September 11.
Haliphong	Canton	September 11.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 22nd August)	Emp. of Canada	September 11.
Japan and Shanghai	General Pershing	September 11.
Manila	Pres. Jackson	September 11.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 14th August)	Pres. Van Buren	September 11.
Straits and London parcels—London 6th August.	Sarpedon	September 11.
Shanghai	Shantung	September 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Terukuni Maru	September 11.
Japan	Allpore	September 12.
Straits and Europe via London date, (Letters and Papers) London date, 13th August.	Katori Maru	September 12.
Japan and Shanghai	Taiyo Maru	September 12.
Java and Manila	Tjlaroca	September 12.
Straits	Behar	September 13.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia—London, 24th August.	Burgeland	September 13.
Shanghai and Swatow	Szechuen	September 13.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 21st August)	Pres. Taft	September 14.
Japan	Malacca Maru	September 15.
Calcutta and Straits	Santha	September 15.
Java	Tjlsandane	September 15.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 20th August, and London, 24th August.	Rawalpindi	September 16.
13th August.	Chichibu Maru	September 16.
Japan and Shanghai	Chitru	September 16.
Japan and Shanghai	G. C. Paul Doumer	September 18.
Haliphong	Hosang	September 18.
Calcutta and Straits		

### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service" (Due Amsterdam, 21st September)	Terukuni Maru	Fri. Sept. 11.
Reg.	Reg.	Sept. 11, 12.30 p.m.
Letters, (Sept. 11, 1 p.m.)	Reg.	Sept. 11, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Terukuni Maru	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sept. 11.
Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	Reg.	Sept. 11, 12.45 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 8th October)	Yunnan	Fri. Sept. 11, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow via Swatow	Halatan	Fri. Sept. 11, 3.00 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow	Mabella	Fri. Sept. 11, 3.30 p.m.
Manila and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Fri. Sept. 11, 4 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	Fri. Sept. 11, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A. and Europe via Victoria B.C. and Europe via Siberia	Pres. Jackson	Fri. Sept. 11, 4 p.m.
(Due Victoria B.C., 30th Sept.)	Reg.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Fri. Sept. 11.
(Due Marseilles, 10th October)	Reg.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways R.M.A. Dorado direct service"—due London 21st September	Reg.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
Letters for Australia by "Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin 15th September	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Fri. Sept. 11.
Reg.	Reg.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
Saturday		
Straits, Sandakan and Calcutta	Shirala	Sat. Sept. 12.
Parcels, (Sept. 11, 5 p.m.)	Letters	Sept. 12, 9 a.m.
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haliphong	Kaying	Sat. Sept. 12, Noon.
Haliphong	Canton	Sat. Sept. 12, 2 p.m.
Straits	Allpore	Sat. Sept. 12, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Katori Maru Sat.	Katori Maru	Sat. Sept. 12, 3.30 p.m.
Siberia		
Bangkok via Swatow	Kiangsu	Sun. Sept. 13, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hongkong Maru	Sun. Sept. 13, 9 a.m.
Monday		
Swatow and Amoy	Anshun	Mon. Sept. 14, 1.30 p.m.
Tuesday		
*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjlsandane	Tues. Sept. 15, 8.30 a.m.
Pres. Taft	Pres. Taft	Tues. Sept. 15, 4.30 p.m.
Manila	Shantung	Tues. Sept. 15, 4.30 p.m.
Amoy		
Wednesday		
Straits and Calcutta	Suisang	Wed. Sept. 16.
Parcels, (Sept. 16, 1 p.m.)	Letters	Sept. 16, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed. Sept. 16, 4.30 p.m.
Thursday		
Shanghai, Japan and Europe via Rawalpindi		
Siberia		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu and Taiyo Maru		Thurs. Sept. 17, 10.30 a.m.
*San Francisco		Sat. Sept. 17, 4.15 p.m.
(Due San Francisco, 12th October)	Letters	Sept. 17, 5 p.m.

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TAIPING	6 Nov.	13 Nov.	16 Nov.	2 Dec.
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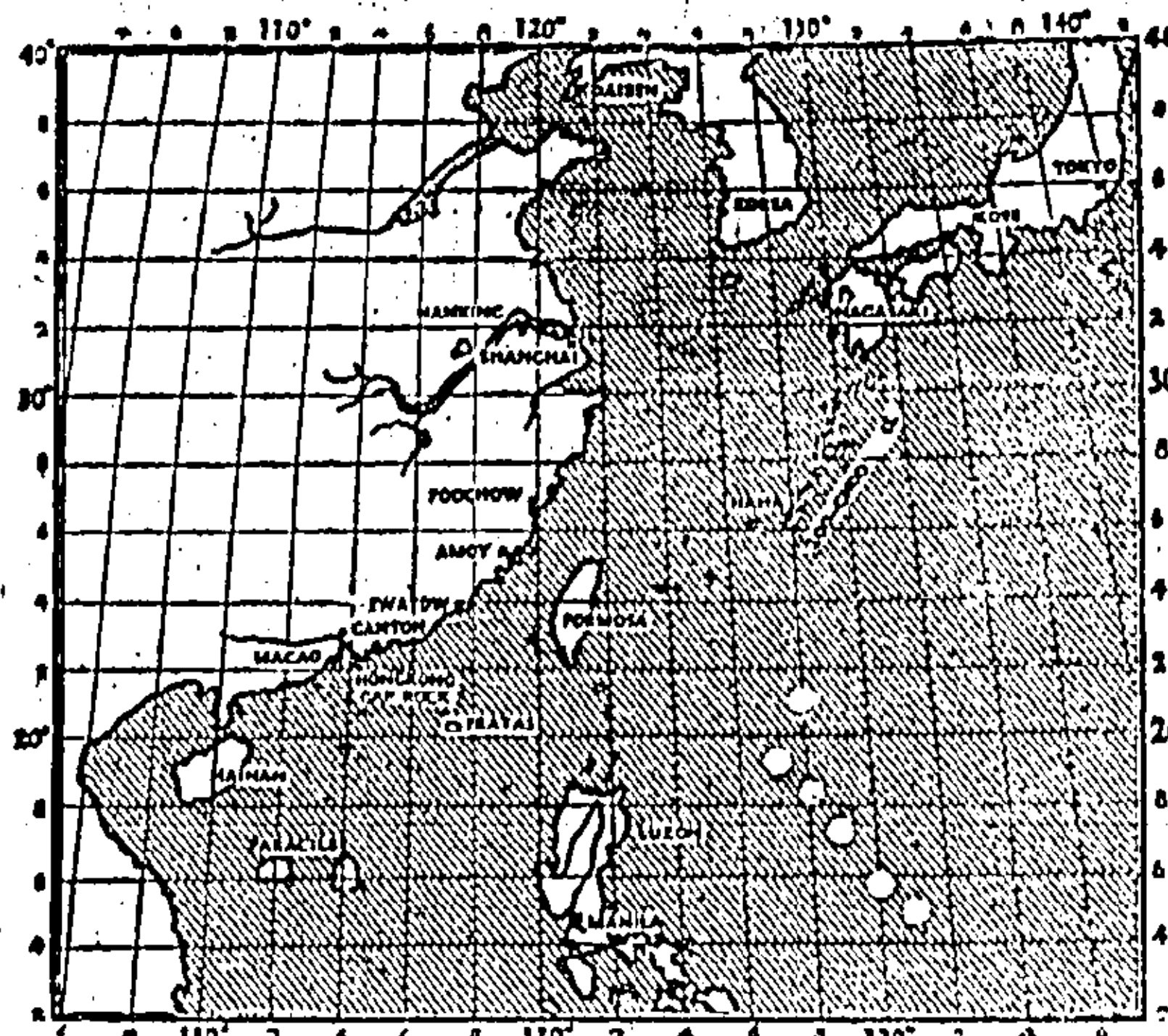
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### TYPHOON RECURVES TO N.E.



The Manila Observatory report at 9.30 a.m. to-day that the typhoon is situated in about Long. 128, Lat. 21, recurring north-eastwards. There is another typhoon in about Long. 146, Lat. 18, moving W.N.W.

### ST. LOUIS CLOSER TO GIANTS

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### CLOSE RACE FOR PENNANT

New York, Sept. 10. The St. Louis Cardinals pressed closer to the National League leaders, the New York Giants, by beating Boston three in two today. The Cardinals hit thirteen times to Boston's five, but lost many scoring opportunities. Berger hit a homer for the Braves, but his mates blundered into five errors.

New York, meanwhile, was pitted against Cincinnati. The Giants failed to hold the Reds who hit fifteen times, including home runs by Lombardi and Goodman, and scored seven. Giants tallied twice on seven blows.

Chicago recovered itself in a game with Philadelphia, and won three to two, with eight hits to seven. Camilli hit a circuit blow for the Phillies.

Pittsburgh kept pace with the Cubs, scoring eleven runs on fourteen hits against Brooklyn's five on eleven safeties. Swift gave the Pirates a homer and Bordagaray hit one for the Dodgers.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia won from St. Louis, twelve to seven, with sixteen hits, including a circuit by Higgins. St. Louis hit eight, Cliff knocking one over the bleachers.

Detroit's nine hits netted five runs against Washington, which managed a couple of tallies on five hits, Hogan homering.

New York, which has already won the pennant, lost to Cleveland, four to five, with thirteen hits to fourteen. Gehrig hit one home run for the Yankees and Campbell and Trasky gave the Indians a pair.—*Reuter.*

### SYMPATHY FOR WORKERS

BUT BRITISH AGAINST INTERVENTION

Plymouth, Sept. 10. The Trades Union Council to-day carried a resolution extolling the self-sufficiency and bravery of the Spanish workers and expressing sympathy for their cause. The vote was carried on a show of hands by an overwhelming majority.

The Congress had previously rejected an amendment favouring intervention on behalf of the Spanish Government, by 3,000,000 votes against 51,000.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

#### EXCHANGE

Selling	
T.T. Demand	1/254
T.T. Shanghai	1/254
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2
T.T. Japan	105
T.T. India	81 1/2
T.T. U.S.A.	31 1/2
T.T. Manila	62 1/2
T.T. Batavia	45 1/2
T.T. Bangkok	150 1/2
T.T. Saigon	46 1/2
T.T. France	47 1/2
T.T. Germany	77 1/2
T.T. Switzerland	93 1/2
T.T. Australia	1/04
T.T. Lisbon	6502
Buying	
4 m/s. L/C London	1/3 1/2
4 m/s. D/P do	1/3 1/2
4 m/s. L/C U.S.A.	51 1/2
4 m/s. France	500
30 d/s India	83
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.05%

Mr. Justice J. J. Hayden, Acting Puisne Judge, and Mrs. Hayden are leaving to-morrow for a month's holiday in Japan, by the Blue Funnel liner Sarpodan.

### CINEMA NOTES

Cold-blooded murder for the sake of a guilty love—or an act of compassion beyond human law? Local theatre-goers will have an opportunity to sit in judgment on "The Crime of Dr. Forbes" when the new Fox picture opens to-day at the King's Theatre. Gloria Stuart, Robert Kent, Henry Armetta, J. Edward Bromberg, Sara Haden and Alan Dinehart are featured in this widely heralded production, the story of which is based on a theme new to the screen. Kent, a young physician, goes to trial for the alleged murder of Bromberg, a noted scientist engaged in research which he hopes will lead to a cure for a fatal spinal disease. The events leading to Kent's trial begin when Bromberg, hearing of the excavation of some prehistoric skeletons in Arizona bearing unmistakable symptoms of the disease, decides to visit the scene and leaves his laboratory and beautiful young wife, Gloria Stuart, in Kent's care. The young doctor and Gloria, without knowing it, fall in love. Suddenly word comes that Bromberg has been badly injured in an accident and Kent and Gloria rush to scene. There they find Bromberg hopelessly enduring agony, for he knows that his injury cannot be cured. Kent and Bromberg's other associates realise their helplessness. They know that they can do nothing to lessen the injured man's terrible pain—and they know he cannot recover. Suddenly Bromberg dies—and unmistakable evidence points to an overdose of narcotics. Circumstantial evidence points to Kent as the administrator of the drug—and amidst condemning publicity he is brought to trial, where the prosecution points out that the young doctor is in love with Bromberg's wife. Did this Dr. Forbes violate his sacred oath? The answer startling and surprising, supplies one of the most unusual climaxes ever filmed. "The Crime of Dr. Forbes" was produced by Executive Producer Sol M. Wurtzel, with George Marshall as director. Frances Hyland and Saul Elkins authored the screen play.

#### "Wife Versus Secretary"

Clark Gable, Myrna Loy and Jean Harlow provides one of the greatest screen "triangles" in "Wife Versus Secretary," which comes to the Oriental Theatre on Sunday and Monday. In this new and up-to-date theme, Clark Gable justifies himself as one of three international box-office champions. The story is that of Van Sanford, wealthy magazine publisher, as Van, Clark Gable is happily married to Myrna Loy, who never dreams of being jealous of Gable's secretary, Jean Harlow. Gossip and warning and sly insinuations begin to reach the wife, warning her she would urge her husband to discharge his pretty secretary. When Gable refuses to promote his secretary to a higher executive post, he and his wife in the first quarrel. The quarrel is patched up and Gable flies to Havana for a rest. The secretary immediately follows him to Havana. During a late-night telephone call to her husband, the wife gets the secretary on the phone in his room. This is the last straw. The wife leaves her husband. She takes passage on a Europe-bound ship, away wife to tell her she is a fool that if she goes to Europe she will lose him forever. The wife reconsiders, returns to her husband's office and he takes her in his arms. Harlow, as the secretary, is reunited with her boy friend, Dave, and she knows she has completed a secretarial job well done, that of preventing a divorce in the family of her boss.

#### "Bulldog Jack"

Jack Hulbert, he of the triumphant grin and the cheery demeanour, in an entirely new type of role, a mixture of heroics and comedy, a role which fits him like a glove, undeniably the best of his talented comedians. Of many big hits has yet put over. To see Jack as an amateur sleuth taking over a case from Bulldog Drummond, plumbing the mystery, fighting the criminals, a-rescuing the heroine and falling in love with her, is to witness the funniest of Hulbert comedies with a story which also packs a genuine thrill. "Bulldog Jack," now at the Majestic, is quite a new line of country for Jack Hulbert. He has been a policeman, a sailor, a salesman, and an aviator, but never a crime investigator. Now he is in a putting for Bulldog Drummond, a deputy who finds a lot of fun in the job until he realises that he is up against a tough set of villains. Then the comedian becomes

### DR. LAUBACH'S VISIT TO SPEAK AT GIRLS' COLLEGE

All who are interested are cordially invited to hear Dr. Frank Laubach, Ph.D., speak on "The Philippines Literacy Method" at St. Stephen's Girls' College, Lyttelton Road, (in No. 4 bus the first stop after King's College; in No. 3 bus the second stop after the castle) on Wednesday, September 10, at 5.30 p.m. The Very Rev. G. Byrne, S.J., Ph.D., will take the chair.

Dr. Frank Laubach has been a missionary to the Philippine Islands since 1913. In 1920 he started a literacy campaign among the illiterate Moslem Moros of Lanao Province, in the Southern part of the Philippines, and developed a method by which a Moro can learn to read his own language in from one to three days. Dr. Laubach has been asked to help illiterates in every continent except Australasia, and has made a world tour for that purpose.

As he passes through Hongkong on September 10, he will be on his way to India for his second visit, having already prepared charts in Hindi, Marathi, Tamil, Telugu and Urdu.

Two-thirds of the billion illiterates of the world live in Asia, of whom 350,000,000 are in China and 340,000,000 in India. The remainder are found chiefly in Africa, South America and the Islands of the Pacific. Dr. Laubach is trying to do for the rest of the world's illiterates what Dr. James Yen and his colleagues are doing for the illiterates of China. He brings an inspiring personality and a rich fund of practical idealism to his task.

The Colony is to have a broadcast this week-end from the Hongkong Singers. From St. John's Cathedral on Sunday evening, 9.15 to 9.45 p.m., Z.B.W. listeners will be able to hear "Best pair of Sirens" and "There is an old belief" (Purry), a relay which should prove exceedingly popular. Mr. J. Anderson Miller will conduct, and Mr. Lindsay A. Lafford is to accompany on the organ.

During August, the New Territories Medical Benevolent Branch of the St. John Ambulance Association treated a total of 13,451 cases, 4,626 of these being new ones. Altogether, 2,769 cases were seen by doctors, and 479 were visited in their homes. It is recorded that extensive damage to the Tsinwan, Kamtin and Tuenmun clinic buildings was occasioned during the recent typhoons and rainstorms.

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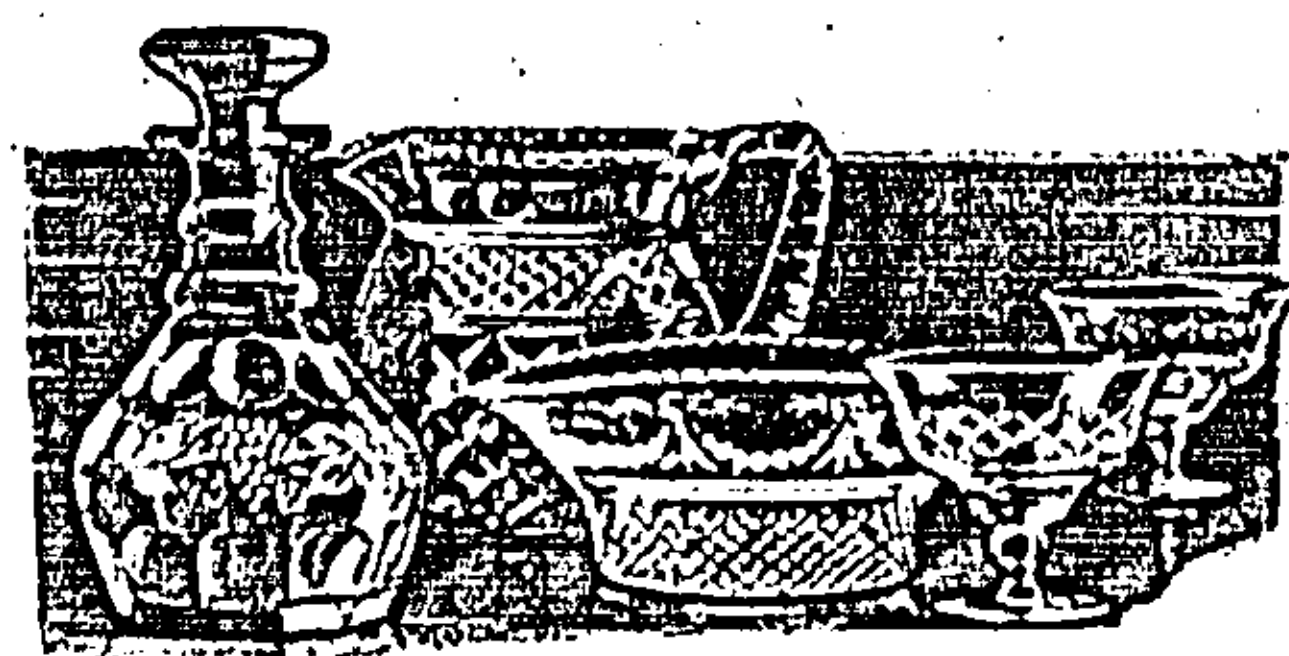
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FRIDAY, SEPT. 11, 1936.

### CIVIL SERVICE STAFFING

The article from the pen of the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, dealing with the staffing of the Government clerical service, which appeared in our issue of Wednesday, should serve as a wholesome corrective and help to dispel many erroneous ideas concerning the employment by the Government of locally-recruited servants. Let it be stressed, first and foremost, that the policy which the Government is now putting gradually into effect is not based on racial considerations—it rests solely on economic grounds, and is made necessary in order to cut down the cost of government to a level which the Colony can afford. Even before the decline in the sterling rate of the dollar—which has tremendously added to administrative costs—it was yearly becoming apparent that the Government was spending far too much on emoluments. The low dollar, coupled with decreased revenue, has made retrenchment absolutely imperative. In other words, we have to cut our garment according to the cloth available. Governor after Governor coming here from other Colonies have been surprised, even astounded, at the strength of the sterling-paid personnel of the service and at the relatively few openings for local men in Government positions. An analysis of various branches of the service shows innumerable instances in which duties which could well be performed by local men have been reserved exclusively for Britons recruited from Home, to say nothing of many other cases in which locally-engaged Britons have been placed on sterling pay. Not only are salaries affected by many of these appointments, but there are other additional commitments in the form of passages, long leave for officers and families, pensions, and other benefits which all add to the bill. If we turn to another aspect of the question, we find that the Colony has been spending big sums annually on education, but offering little inducement for the products of our schools to enter the Government service. The number of posts hitherto available, and the standard of pay, suffice to explain the failure of the Government to attract to its service young men of a type eminently suitable for employ-

ment therein. There are thus two facets of the problem—the necessity for cutting down expenditure, and the duty which the Colony owes to those who make their homes here and many of whom, whatever their race, are British subjects. The policy now being followed is therefore fully justified; it is, in fact, inevitable.

# It is not generally known that...

by **H. W. SEAMAN**  
who has just returned from a trip across America

THE average height of the buildings in New York is less than five storeys. Another staggering—to me, at least—fact is that not one human life was lost in a railway accident in the whole of the United States last year.

Isn't travel broadening? I have come home simply bursting with such important discoveries as those. And these:

The coloured boys who dive for shillings in Havana harbour use a stroke that any professional swimming instructor would denounce as awkward and inefficient. It is more like a mud-turtle's wallow than the Weissmuller crawl. But the boys get the shillings all the same.

This year's Presidential election in the United States will cost that country more than four times the amount of our entire Civil List, including all provision for the Royal Family.

Seagulls are seen every day in mid-ocean, but they never roost on ships. Where they do sleep is one of the facts I was unable to pick up, although I asked many learned people.

I did, however, add to my collection the one about the man who thought they were pigeons. Somebody told him they were gulls, and he replied, "I don't care whether they are gull pigeons or boy pigeons; they are mighty fine pigeons."

LOS ANGELES, California, is the largest city on earth. Eighty miles long and forty miles wide.

You can stand on the rim of the Grand Canyon in Arizona and spit a mile.

Times are so hard that Missouri is using cardboard money, Colorado aluminium money, and New Mexico lead money. The coins, of one mill denomination (five to a farthing) are used mostly to pay sales taxes in shops, but children buy candy with them.

### BAFFLER

"NOW, that's what I call a party," said Wilbur Tweedle. "Couldn't that girl dance? Does a fellow good to have a night out with the boys once in a while?"

And then he remembered Hattie. A good spouse Hattie, but she didn't seem to understand a fellow has to jump a few hurdles now and again. The outline of a highly ingenious and somewhat involved story to account for his lateness was taking form in Wilbur's mind when he arrived home. The house was in darkness. His luck was holding. As he quietly opened the stout front door he heard the old grandfather clock back in the dining-room strike once. Taking off his shoes he noiselessly mounted the stairs, silently undressed, and slipped into bed beside his beloved, who was asleep.

Wilbur lay awake wondering what was the time. He didn't dare strike a light. The old clock downstairs struck once, again. Time dragged on and again the clock struck once. Wilbur was puzzled, but when after a like period of time he again heard the single note of the chime, Wilbur decided he "had 'em". Finally he fell into a troubled sleep.

The clock worked perfectly. Wilbur had heard it strike once four different times, and it sounded only the hours and half-hours, so perhaps you know what time he arrived home?

What time was it when Wilbur Tweedle got home?

Look at foot of Column Seven.

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GENERALLY speaking, Uncle Sam's postal services are much worse than ours. In many big towns the first letter delivery each day begins at 10 a.m. In all but central districts letters are collected only twice a day, and no later than 7 p.m.

But air mail is so good that a letter can be sent 3,000 miles in less than twenty-four hours for 3d.

No mathematical subject beyond simple arithmetic is compulsory in Massachusetts secondary schools, which are said to be the best high schools in America. A high school student can get his leaving certificate without knowing who Charlemagne was, or Alfred the Great, and without even a nodding acquaintance with sound, light, heat, electricity, and the halogen elements.

"Set-up" and "go for" are the American catch-phrases of the moment. "The European set-up," for example, means the European situation, alignment of Powers, etc. When a fellow tells a girl, "I could go for you," he means he thinks she is swell.

H. L. MENCKEN'S new and revised edition of "The American Language" weighs nearly half a stone. Even at that, says Mencken, he has only scratched the surface.

It is a physical impossibility for any human being to read all of a New York daily newspaper in twenty-four hours.

Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada, is further south than most of Massachusetts—and all of Maine, and New York City is 760 miles further south than London, which is level with the Labrador coast.

New Yorkers always lead us Europeans to their Automat Restaurant, which has stood in Times-square for about twenty years, and expect us to goggle at the marvel. But there was an automatic, coin-in-the-slot restaurant in Cardiff before the taurant in Cardiff before the

war. I knew another in Munich. There is one in Paris that dispenses champagne.

God gave the American Niagara Falls. They thank Him by throwing red, white, and blue floodlights at it.

"Pop-Eye the Sailor," has largely taken the place of Mickey Mouse in fickle popular affection, and Jack Bonnie has ousted Amos 'n' Andy from top place in radio.

The best show in Hollywood is the Planetarium, where the stars in their course are projected on a black dome while a mellifluous lecturer talks of space and time. There are also planetaria in New York and Chicago, and Boston is going to have one. Germany has four, Britain none. Why?

Recommended all-American feed, obtainable at any restaurant: Fried oysters, lobster Newburg, half-broiled chicken with sweet potatoes, strawberry shortcake. Alternative menu: Clam chowder, fried soft-shell crabs, planked steak with onions and French fried potatoes, apple pie à la mode.

BROOKLYN BRIDGE used to afford the best view of the New York skyscrapers at nightfall, just before the lights in a million office windows were switched off. Now that the skyscrapers have spread uptown I suggest the Queensborough Bridge instead.

Britain has nearly twice as many motor-cars as America—per mile of road.

Fish-and-chip shops, unknown in America ten years ago, are plentiful to-day. But they have a long way to go before they displace all the hot-dog and hamburger sandwich stands.

Antediluvian tramcars still clatter along Broadway, even in Times-square, which is New York's Piccadilly-circus. The underground, which is called the Sub-way, is much dirtier,

smaller, and noisier than London's, but faster, and, for long distances, much cheaper. Moreover, there is good service at night.

THE Fifth-avenue buses are of an antique pattern similar to "Old Bill" and the other London buses that served in the great war. New York taxis are cheap and some of the drivers are honest.

American navvies, lumberjacks, plumbers, motor mechanics, street sweepers, and all outdoor labourers wear gloves.

A 20oz. loaf of ordinary bread costs 5½d. anywhere in America. But milk is a little cheaper than in England.

There appear to be more Government buildings, and bigger ones, in Ottawa than in London, and more in Washington than in all the European capitals together.

YOU can get an excellent light supper at any Hollywood night club for five pounds.

Britain has the second largest port on the Atlantic coast, Montreal, which handles more traffic in seven months than Boston, Philadelphia, or Baltimore does in twelve. The population of Montreal is larger than that of Glasgow or Birmingham. You may find it hard to believe that most of the New York streets are paved with cobblestones.

New York, seen from the harbour, is magnificent, but Chicago, seen from the lake, is overwhelming. Chicago's grandeur, however, is mostly facade.

CALIFORNIA now produces more wine than France and Spain together. The local claret starts at 2s. a gallon. Whisky can be obtained anywhere in America for 4s. 6d. quart. Our British tax on spirits is more than 8s. 6d. bottle—which is iniquitous, good according to taste, poor of view, and one's opinion of the use the politicians make all the money we give them.

A FEW years ago I saw the Union Jack burned by a mob on Broadway. To-day that is unthinkable. Our stock is higher in America than it has ever been. Wherever I have gone Americans have spoken with admiration of British ways, British things, and British people.

But I like Americans too. Like their shirts. You don't have to put them on over your head.

And you can get a good cigar at a price you can afford to pay.

### BAFFLER

It was midnight when Wilbur got home. He heard the last stroke of twelve o'clock sounding as he opened the door. The next stroke he heard was 12.30, the third one o'clock, and the fourth 1.30.

## BADAJOS—CITY OF SIEGES

BADAJOS—city of bloodshed—comes into the news again with the latest report received last night from the battle front in Spain. It has been the scene of fierce fighting between the Communist and Patriot Anti-Red forces.

Grim and forbidding under the shadow of its ancient and now crumbling fortifications, Badajoz seems as if it might have been built to be besieged.

DOWN through the centuries it has been the key town of the Portuguese frontier.

Its gaunt stone buildings, clustered on a hill top, can just be seen from the surrounding countryside as they peer above the lowering old fortress walls—the battlements that withstood the onslaught of armies.

Since the eleventh century, when it became the capital of a small Moorish kingdom, tens of thousands of soldiers have been slain at its gates.

They have come, these warriors of many lands—vast numbers of them from Britain—to storm this strategic city.

For a while, in 1168, the Portuguese took control; then it regained its independence, which it kept until its capture in 1220 by Alfonso IX of Leon—years of struggle between Moors and Christians.

Siege after siege was launched against its stout walls—a determined attack being made by the Portuguese in 1600. Then came the onslaughts of the Allies in the War of the Spanish Succession in 1705.

For a hundred years or so it was left in comparative peace until the Peninsular War, when the severest of all the battles of Badajoz brought British and French forces into historic conflict.

It was in 1808 and 1809 that the first attacks were made by the French. They were the signal for four years of deadly fighting.



The Gates of Badajoz on the road out to the Portuguese Frontier.

Marshal Soult in command of the French was handicapped by the heavy toll taken of his forces by starvation. Wellington held his hand while hunger depleted the ranks of the enemy.

In 1811, through the surrender of the Spanish Governor, Jose Immanuel, the British gained possession of the coveted city.

There followed the heaviest fighting of the Peninsular War, as the battalions of the Allies troops under Beresford were anghed in one terrific drive by French cavalry.

The French paid heavily, however, and eventually Marshal Soult was wounded and wounded on the 6,000 killed and wounded on the 10th of March 1812 that Wellington launched his famous attack. After ten days' march he reached the gates of the city.

He fought against time, for he feared that if he took long over the siege it would give opportunity to the two Marshals, Soult and Marmont, to unite in a relief attempt. With his plans and preparations unfinished he ordered the storm of the defences after only 20 days.

It was a bold move and the loss was terrific. Time after time men surged up to the battle line only to be driven back by a merciless barrage. The heights of Badajoz seemed well-nigh impregnable behind the massive fortifications.

The main assault on the breach failed, and it was not until two days later that the French were forced to surrender.

Five thousand men were killed wounded, but the battle proved of the turning points of the war, only a few months later Wellington entered Madrid in triumph. Again Madrid in the objective of one of the warring armies in Spain and so Badajoz—Europe's most beleaguered city—comes once more into the news. S.F.H.



# TWO SHY WOMEN OF A FAMOUS HOUSE

The Girl Who Is Her Royal Mother's Best Companion

## Sees War Peril



John W. Troy, governor of the Territory of Alaska, pictured leaving the White House in Washington where he discussed Alaska coast defences. He said Alaska would be the theatre of the next war.

## New Film War Brews In Hollywood

Hollywood, Aug. 30. A new threat to talent lists of major studios, already battling for services of a dwindling supply of box office names, is seen in the rise of Grand National Pictures, an ambitious organization just four months old.

Grand National, a producing and distributing company incorporated in Delaware last April, has just announced an \$8,000,000 fifty-picture programme for the coming year. Inevitably it will require stars, and just as inevitably must join the talent war.

### CAGNEY SIGNED

The new firm raised Hollywood's eyebrows recently when it signed Jimmy Cagney, released from his Warner Bros. contract by court mandate, and announced it would spend \$500,000 on his first picture. Subsequently it revealed the alliance of an impressive list of independent producers, including Douglas MacLean, Boris Petroff, formerly of Paramount, H. F. Zeldes, once of Universal, and George Hirshman.

One possible source of stars was revealed in an announcement of Hirshman's first picture. It will present Reginald Denny, a great name of a few years ago, in "We're in the Legion Now." A picture already finished to be released by G-N, is "Yellow Cargo" starring Conrad Nagel, also a former topflight star.

### RUSH OF STARS

The possibility is strong that a rush to sign former ranking players regarded as "through" in recent years, may follow.

Edward L. Alpers, former sales manager for Warner Bros. and head of G-N, says his firm has arranged for distribution in 33 cities, with further deals pending. The company is reportedly backed by Eastern bankers.

Apparently G-N will not establish a Hollywood lot, its allied producers working in space rented from other independent studios.

Meanwhile, established Hollywood producers are apparently preparing for battle. Spiking a rumour that Warner Bros. would abandon an appeal of the court's decision in the Cagney case, Jack Warner said the matter is pending in Appellate court, and will be pressed.—United Press.

## Tenfold Fewer Divorces

### EFFECT OF NEW RUSSIAN LAW

Moscow, Aug. 20. As a result of the new Divorce Law adopted in the Soviet Union last month, the number of divorces applied for has fallen tenfold. During the first three weeks of July only 215 divorces were recorded in Moscow, as compared with 2,214 divorces during the first three weeks of June. The new law came into effect on June 20.

Both parties must now appear in court to ask for the divorce, whereas formerly it was sufficient for but one of the parties to appear and declare his or her wishes.

A fee of 50 roubles is now charged for the first divorce, 100 for the second, and 150 for the third. The uniform fee formerly was half a rouble.—Exchange.

## SIMPLE LIFE WITH £300,000 A YEAR

### THEY CYCLE, SKATE AND WALK TOGETHER

The Hague, Sept. 9.

ANNOUNCEMENT of the betrothal of Princess Juliana of Holland has drawn the eyes of Europe to one of the most remarkable royal families in the world.

Princess Juliana and her mother, Queen Wilhelmina, are at present holidaying together at Bad Wiesenburg, in Switzerland.

These two women, the last representatives of the historic House of Orange, are inseparable companions. They are among the richest women in Europe, yet their style of living is one of simplicity compared with their wealth.

Queen Wilhelmina has a private income of £135,000 a year, and her income from the Government is £160,000. Princess Juliana's income is £27,100 a year.

Here is a pen picture of some aspects of their life together.

### Their Palace

#### Is Just A House

Their "palace" at The Hague is an old-fashioned, yellowing building in the Noordeinde, a narrow street widening into a square.

When they go out they have to pass the houses of their neighbours—a tobacconist, a vacuum cleaner maker, a banker, and a jeweller.

The royal car is a 1931 Cadillac. It is not used every day.

The democratic Dutch ride mostly on bicycles and the Queen and Princess Juliana ride with them.

It is no unusual sight to see the Queen and her daughter pedalling along a street or walking to church.

Queen Wilhelmina suffers acutely from neuralgia, which is apparently affecting her limbs.

### Courage Of Cady Ashley

#### WON HER GAME OF "LET'S PRETEND"

A BOOK of 385 pages published last month reveals a woman's indomitable courage in the face of great suffering.

She is Lady Apsley, wife of Lord Apsley, M.P. for the Central Division of Bristol.

The book, which will become a classic on its subject, is "Through History" (Hutchinson, 16s.). Six years ago a horse Lady Apsley was riding in the hunting field stumbled in a rabbit hole and fell, and crushed her underneath as it fell.

Her spine was dislocated. She was faced, in her thirties, with the prospect of spending the rest of her life in an invalid chair.

KEPT CHEERFUL. This was the woman who had described her pleasures in life as "riding a good horse, somewhere near bounds, flying, driving a fast car, hitting a golf ball, shooting, and catching salmon."

She never became an invalid in spirit. She kept her interests alive, refused to lose her cheerfulness.

She wrote in the Sunday Express four years ago:—

"Every one should be prepared as far as possible for what may befall. . . slaps of Fate, turns of fortune, the workings of Providence—all then what you will—keeping another interest or hobby in reserve to fall on in days of enforced idleness."

### HEROIC GAME

Brave words from an invalid's chair.

Typically, when she decided to write a book as a hobby she chose

### 4500-YEAR-OLD VILLAGE

Warsaw, Aug. 20. Excavators with an expedition from Poznan University have unearthed a village believed to date from 3500 B.C.

They found it near Bisupin, in Polish Pomerania and attribute it to what is known as the Marsh period, when a primitive race of hunters and fishers lived in the marshes.

The village was found at a depth of about 70 feet. The huts were constructed of ash logs. Various pieces of earthenware, as well as ornaments, and wheat, barley, and flax, plants were unearthed.—Exchange.

## A Boy Who Longed To Parachute

PRAGUE, Sept. 5.

A boy on holiday at Prerov saw an exhibition by parachutists and longed to make such jumps.

He dreamt of it at night and woke up in a flower bed under his bedroom window.—Exchange.

Because of this and to safeguard her as much as possible from draughts and chill winds, a wooden tunnel has been built from the palace to the roadway.

The Queen and the princess are expert skaters. They skate in winter on a moat behind the palace, accompanied only by a male aide-de-camp.

Queen Wilhelmina disapproves of public sports on Sundays, and only stirs outside the palace on Sunday to attend church. She hardly ever goes to a theatre.

She maintains a very small court. During the past three years there have been virtually no social functions at court.

She possesses magnificent pearls, estimated to have cost nearly £135,000.

She has an extensive knowledge of mathematics and economics.

Her paintings have attracted more than ordinary attention at many exhibitions.

Robert talks in a rather high pitched voice. He is a bit bashful among strangers and is inclined to dislike publicity. He confesses that he doesn't like being "raved at."

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Robert is less interested in being the tallest man in the world than he is in his ambition to become a lawyer. For several years he has been studying law at Shurtleff College in Alton, and expected to enter either Washington University or a college in Texas this fall.

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Doctors say Robert will continue to grow until he is about 22 to 23 years old. At his present rate of growth, which is nearly two inches a year, he may reach well over nine feet.—United Press.

"Bedrooms at the Apsley town and country residences were furnished on the ground floor. Stairs are among the few obstacles that Lady Apsley cannot surmount in her wheeled chair. She continued to travel by train and motor-car and has even insisted upon travelling in her husband's airplane. He is an efficient pilot.

"This airplane and a motor-car were specially adapted to suit her."

"She wrote every word of the book herself in pencil. She would occasionally break off to speak at public meetings. She is president of the women's branch of the Bristol Unionist Association."

PREPARATIONS are being made in Nottingham for the establishment of a branch of Woolwich Arsenal as part of the defence programme.

Nottingham is one of the centres chosen away from London as being less vulnerable to attack from the air.

A large factory used during the last war by Cumell Laird & Co., for the making of heavy guns and later used by the same firm for building steel railway coaches has been taken over by the War Office for the manufacture of heavy guns.

The manager of the local employment exchange has been instructed to recruit 100 engineers who are to be sent to Woolwich to be trained in the work they are to do and then return to Nottingham along with a number of key men from the Arsenal.

## Broker Accused



Joseph Hopkins, 60-year-old broker, accused by several wealthy Los Angeles society women of swindling them out of \$200,000 in jewels. He was arrested after a nationwide search.

## America Now Has The Tallest Man!

Alton, Ill., Aug. 30.

ROBERT WADLOW, a shy, respected youth now 18 years old, has become, according to a consensus of available records—the tallest man in scientifically recorded history.

From a staunch base of size 10 shoes he now soars upward to a towering 8 feet 5 inches, a gain of one inch in six months. And despite the intense heat he has put on an additional 35 pounds, bringing his weight to 425.

Sitting in a huge, specially built porch chair, the back of which reaches upward nearly six feet, Robert explained that since his 16th birthday he has been steadily growing, both up and out. He reached that age Feb. 22 this year. At that time he was 8 feet 4 inches tall and weighed 390 pounds.

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DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES The following wave-lengths and frequencies are observed by Daventry.

Station	Frequency	Wave-length
GSA	8,500 k.c.	35.2 metres
GAF	9,510 k.c.	31.55 metres
GAC	9,585 k.c.	31.20 metres
GSD	11,550 k.c.	25.52 metres
GWS	11,945 k.c.	24.25 metres
GAF	15,140 k.c.	19.82 metres
GAC	15,780 k.c.	18.93 metres
GAF	21,470 k.c.	13.97 metres
GAF	25,365 k.c.	11.86 metres
GAF	25,510 k.c.	11.76 metres
GSI	8,110 k.c.	36.10 metres

### Transmission 1

(G.S.G., G.S.I.)  
2.15 p.m. Big Ben, "Caricatures of the English Theatre."  
2.31 p.m. Chamber Music.  
2.41 p.m. A commentary on the International Speedway Championships, from Wembley.  
2.41 p.m. Paul Godwin's Orchestra.  
2.55 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 4 p.m.

### Transmission 2

(G.S.G., G.S.I.)  
7 p.m. Big Ben, "Empire Magazine."  
7.32 p.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.  
8.10 p.m. "The Spotted Lion."  
8.10 p.m. "Student's Song."  
Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m.  
9 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
9.20 p.m. The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.

### Transmission 3

(G.S.G., G.S.I.)  
9 p.m. Big Ben, The Ruston Spa Orchestra.  
11 p.m. Commentary on the International Speedway Championships, from Wembley.  
11.30 p.m. "The Big Band."  
11.30 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 12 a.m.  
12.15 a.m. Frank Rizzo's Brass Quintet.

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4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
7-11 p.m. European Programme.  
7 p.m. An Operatic Programme.

Orchestra—The Mastersingers of Nuremberg—Overture (Wagner); Arle—Aida—O Patria Mia (Verdi); Eva Turner (Soprano); Duet—Madame Butterfly—Child from whose eyes—Love Duet (Puccini); Sheridan (Soprano) and Perle (Tenor); Orchestra—The Valkyrie—Ride of the Valkyries (Wagner); Arle—Marta—Like a Dream (Flotow); Enrico Caruso (Tenor); Orchestra—Samson and Delilah—Bacchanale (Saint-Saens).

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations.  
7.33 p.m. A Relay from London. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.

7.50 p.m. From the Studio. "New Books, Worth Reading" by D.E.A.

8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements.  
8.03 p.m. The London Symphony Orchestra.

Suite in G (Bach, arr. Goossens); Love of the Three Oranges (Prokofiev); Triumphal March ("Caractacus") (Elgar, Op. 35).

8.30 p.m. Jack Buchanan in Old Film Hits.  
8.47 p.m. Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins.

Quick-Step—Jazz me Blues; Fox-Trot—Cheerful Blues; Memories of you; Rain; Goodbye Blues; It Don't mean a thing; Happy Feet; Everybody loves my baby; I got Rhythm.

9 p.m. News and announcements from London.  
9.20 p.m. Concert Items.

Song—If my mother only knew (Nuttie); Beniamino Gigli (Tenor); Violin Solo—Scherzo—Tarentelle (Wienawski, Op. 10); Tenor; Song—Lied der Nigun (Schubert); Piano—Mela Schmeier (Soprano); Piano—Solo—Cinq de Lune (Debussy); John Hunt; Song—Addio bel Sogno; Beniamino Gigli (Tenor); Alto Saxophone Solo—Le Cygne (Saint-Saens); Marcel Mule.

9.45 p.m. The Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra.  
Largo (Handel); Chanson Triste (Tschalkovsky, arr. Stewart); Pique Dame—Overture (Suppe).

10 p.m. Big Ben from London.  
Variety and Dance Music.

Band—Holiday Hits—Medley; London Piano Accordion Band; Humorous—A Spot of Fishing; Clapham and Dwyer; Fox Trot—Sammy Saxophone; Scott Wood and his Six Swingers; Band—Minstrel Memories.

Grand Massed Bands; Rumba; You've got the wrong Rumba; Don Miguel and his Cuban Music; Song—Do you remember my first love Song.

Gracie Fields; Orchestra—Tap Dancers' Nightmare; Jimmie Dorsey and his Orchestra; Instrumental—The King Steps Out—Medley; The Keyboarders; Vocal—I'm Putting all my eggs in one basket.

The Beagwell Sisters; Fox Trot—Honolulu Stars and Hawaiian Guitars; Roy Smeek and his Hawaiian Serenaders; Who Killed Cock Robin? Walt Disney Silly Symphony. (From the actual Sound Film); Fox Trot—The Never-to-be-forgotten Melody.

Geraldo and his Orchestra; Violin Solo—Melody at Dusk; Albert Sandler; Fox Trot—Is it true what they say about Dixie? Jimmy Dorsey and his Orchestra; Song—One of the Nine Orphans of the Stars.

Gracie Fields; Xylophone Solo—Joey the Clown; Rudy Starita; Walt; Sympathy; Cusani Club Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close Down.

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### Transmission 1

(G.S.G., G.S.I.)  
2.15 p.m. Big Ben, "Caricatures of the English Theatre."  
2.31 p.m. Chamber Music.  
2.41 p.m. A commentary on the International Speedway Championships, from Wembley.  
2.41 p.m. Paul Godwin's Orchestra.  
2.55 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 4 p.m.

### Transmission 2

(G.S.G., G.S.I.)  
7 p.m. Big Ben, "Empire Magazine."  
7.32 p.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.  
8.10 p.m. "The Spotted Lion."  
8.10 p.m. "Student's Song."  
Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m.  
9 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
9.20 p.m. The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.

### Transmission 3

(G.S.G., G.S.I.)  
9 p.m. Big Ben, The Ruston Spa Orchestra.  
11 p.m. Commentary on the International Speedway Championships, from Wembley.  
11.30 p.m. "The Big Band."  
11.30 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 12 a.m.  
12.15 a.m. Frank Rizzo's Brass Quintet.

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# THE AUSTRALIAN PONIES ARE LOOKING WELL

Clubhouse Chatter

## Alec Pearce Produces Some Ennobling Off-Drives At The Nets

### GARTHWAITE HAS ALSO BEGUN TO GET HIS EYE IN

I'm treading on delicate ground, and probably R. Abbit's toes in writing this, but in the soul-searing search for material with which to fill this column, I happened yesterday on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground, there to find a dozen or more industrious cricketers at the nets opening up shoulder muscles and loosening finger joints, and forthwith I decided, despite R. Abbit's warning glance, to make some use of their efforts.

#### Happy Pearce

THREE nets were fully occupied for the better part of two hours, housing for intervals of ten to 15 minutes players such as T. A. Pearce, C. C. Garthwaite, Capt. Perse, H. Gosano, Hughes, I. D. Kilbee, K. Nazarin, A. H. Madar and A. W. Hayward, while at the other end we had F. D. Pereira, A. R. Minu, E. L. Gosano and W. H. Colledge, bowling down some good runs and finding the wicket extremely nice, thank you very much. From the batting viewpoint Alec Pearce stood out head and shoulders. His in-the-middle-of-the-bat strokes made it difficult for one to believe he had been out of cricket for five months. Minu had him puzzled with three balls; two hit his pads and the other Pearce played on to his wicket. For the rest—Pereira, Nazarin, Perse et al were treated according to their lights. Pearce, whose in-front-of-the-wicket play is



T. A. Pearce

unsurpassed in Hongkong, was a delight to watch yesterday. Especially ennobling was his cover-driving, the beauty of which not even a stop-net could rob. On a pitch which was soft enough to respond to any sort of finger-work by the bowler, Pearce used his feet in splendid fashion, and there was snap and decision in practically all of his shots. Now and again a ball stole past him on the leg side, but it was the sort which he would normally elude to the boundary. This rapid jump into tip-top batting form is highly encouraging.

#### Garthwaite Shapes Well

I was told that Garthwaite was not "seeing them" when he batted on Wednesday, but the same accusation could hardly be levelled against him yesterday. Garthwaite batted exceedingly well, especially as he was in the nets against Pereira, Minu, Gosano and Nazarin when they were fresh. He drove powerfully, co-ordinating feet, wrist and blade in an exhilarating manner. Once or twice Gosano, who was inclined to pitch a bit short and to come sharply in from the left, had him jumping about, and Pereira sent down three grand balls, two of which swung away from just outside the off-stump, which Garthwaite nibbled at but missed, and the third, a well pitched-up delivery, which went through quickly, levelled his off stump. But these moments were hardly blemishes in Garthwaite's batting as they were all nasty balls, designed to, and capable of, beating any sort of batsman. The only law in Garthwaite's batting which I could detect was an inclination to hit too soon in his off-driving; in addition I felt that there were times when he might have got his left leg across a bit more. But chiefly it was a case of mis-timing, which more than once brought about the inevitable catch to mid-off. But seeing this was Garthwaite's second outing since the close of last season he has little to worry about. He gave one the impression that he will be hitting just as hard as ever this year, but with probably improved placing. His defence was admirable against consistent and varied bowling.

#### Nazarin Has Promise

ONE naturally turned a good deal of attention to K. Nazarin, the young I.R.C. "hope". It is far too early, of course, to come to any



C. C. Garthwaite

By "Veritas"

#### Our Daily Golf Hint

The masher is a club no golfer can afford to ignore; he can discard others when forced to carry his own bag, but the masher is a member of the team every time.

—L. Ray.

## Devlin Beaten By Ipoh. Champion

Ipoh, Aug. 30.

Devlin, the English badminton professional, was defeated on Saturday night 4-15 and 5-15 by an Ipoh town hall. In all matches Devlin showed a wide variety and smoothly executed strokes, and in the singles made Cheng Phor run all over the court by alternating jobs to the back hand with drop shots.

Cheng Phor played a fast game and often surprised by retrieving many difficult placements but was nervous and jumpy at the start of the game. Good overhead smashing and strong defence carried him through.

Interviewed by the Free Press correspondent after the match Devlin said the conditions in the town hall were better than elsewhere although the heat was still irksome.

Cheng Phor in his opinion is very good but he considers Leow Kim Fatt more experienced.

Results: Tan Cheng Phor beat J. F. Devlin 15-4, 15-5; Tan Cheng Phor and Liou Foh beat J. F. Devlin and Foo Chong Hai 15-5, 15-6; Tan Cheng Phor and Julia Wong drew with Devlin and Mrs. Woods 15-6, 11-15; Foo Chong Hai beat J. Kim Tok 15-11, 15-12; Misses Winnie and Helen Khong drew with Misses Low Guan Kim and Felicity Chan 15-10, 15-14, 1-3; Yoon. Slew Kang and Choon Wah Pun beat J. Kim Tok and Toh Gony Tat 15-12, 13-13, 5-2.

Devlin left Ipoh for Penang.

The perfect off-drive, is surely the most satisfactory shot in cricket. Over-hurges, Haywards and Kilbee also had a few minutes of quiet batting, utilising the occasion chiefly to re-capturing an accurate "sight" of the ball. But from all points of view the practice appeared to be eminently satisfactory, and if the weather will only be kind and give our players the "break" they need, we have good reason to look forward to the Interpart with a fair show of optimism.

## Owens Says British Athletes Do Not Concentrate Sufficiently

### "WON'T BE BOTHERED" HE SAYS

A tall, brown-skinned young man, with a superbly graceful figure, stepped out on a cab that drew up at an hotel—Jesse Owens, the most renowned athlete in the world at the moment.

He has a charming, unaffected manner. One likes him at once. His head is rather small and well-shaped, with a resolute mouth and chin.

"I enjoyed my first Olympic Games very much indeed," he said.

Of course, he was pleased with his own success.

#### GOOD BASEBALL PLAYERS

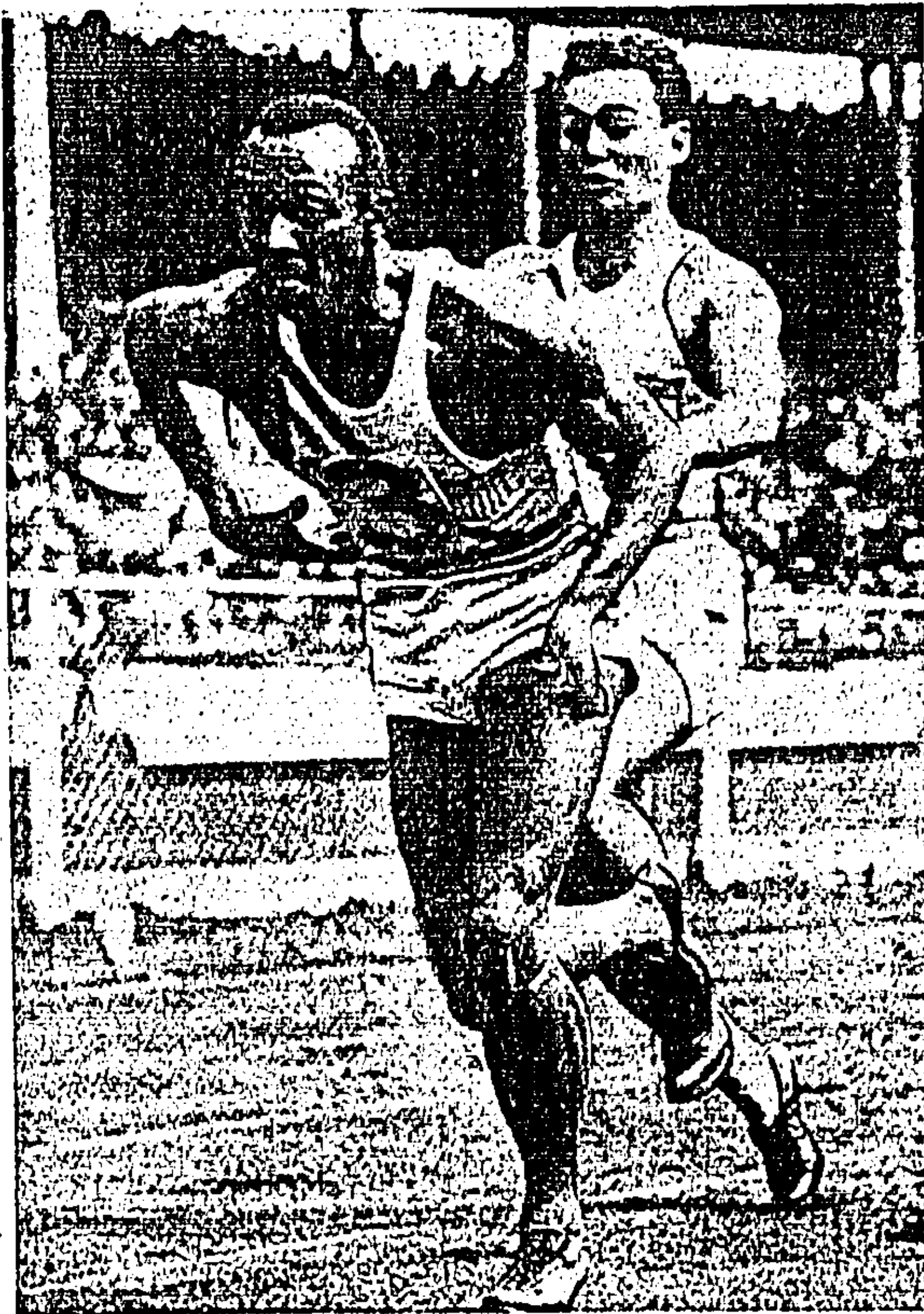
I asked him if athletics had been hereditary in his family. He said no, but his brothers, who were college boys like himself, were very good baseball players, writes an Evening Standard correspondent.

"I don't myself go in for any other form of athletics than my own particular speciality. The American college system of training makes us concentrate on that to the exclusion of everything else. A walker must only walk, a runner, only run, a swimmer only swim, and so on. Otherwise the training would be thrown out of gear."

Referring to the British display at the Olympic Games, Jesse said: "I think you have splendid material in England, but you seem to have been lying down. You don't concentrate enough. If your boys were to take athletics as seriously as the American boys do, there is no reason why they shouldn't do just as well. But, of course, while they go into training for only short spells, and the rest of the year do as they please, they can't expect to compete with boys who devote themselves to one particular sport the whole time. The British won't be bothered, that's the difference."

"They go in for sport principally for the pleasure of playing games, and don't attach such importance to winning them," I suggested.

Jesse laughed, as if he had often heard that joke before. "Yes, I know," he said. "Well, we think that if one goes in for a competition, one



JESSE OWENS IN ACTION

might just as well win it. That seems sense, doesn't it? "You see," he went on, "the winner of a competition is everything—nobody else matters. The loser is just another fellow."

"Who were the competitors you feared most in Berlin?" I asked him.

"My own college mates were the toughest material I had to face. The

## MACAO RACE MEETING ON SUNDAY

### THREE EVENTS RESERVED FOR IMPORTED CHINA PONIES

#### H.E. THE GOVERNOR OF MACAO IS NEW OWNER

(By "Captain Foster")

The September race meeting under the auspices of the Macao Jockey Club will be held at the Arca Preta, Macao, on Sunday. First saddling will be rung at 1.30 p.m., and the first race will be run at 2 o'clock. The Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., will berth the s.s. Kinshan and she will leave at 9.30 a.m., returning from Macao at 6 p.m.

Fairly good entries have been received and interest will no doubt be centred in the three special events reserved for the 22 China Ponies which were imported quite recently by the Macao Jockey Club. I am very glad that Macao residents are taking a little more interest in the "Sport of Kings" and it is interesting to note that His Excellency Dr. Juno P. Barbosa, the Macao Governor of Chinese Customs and Mr. F. J. Gellion, British Vice-Consul, are among the new owners.

The Club is conducting a special dollar cash sweep on the fourth race, the Chung Shan Stakes over a mile and I understand that a good demand has been made for the through tickets cash sweep, which can still be had at \$7 for a through number.

## CURTAIN-RAISER GIVES SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

The curtain-raiser will be in the Tolshan Handicap (First Section) for D and E Classes over six furlongs and here we have something to think about. Diogenes did not appear in public after December 3 of last year when he was second to his stable companion Rousseau in the Stanley Handicap run at Macao out of a field of three starters and it was certainly a fluke. However he is now in the mounted section of the H.K.V.D.C., and let us hope that he will not check up the bit after passing the distance post. It may be of interest to know that old China hands have a strong prejudice against black colours and poor old Diogenes cannot be excluded from the category. Much was expected from Diogenes in the year of his griffinhood but he earned no more than \$225 and was eventually discarded by Mr. Eu Tong-sen. He is now owned by the O.C. of the Mounted Section and if Diogenes makes up his mind to run, there is nothing to equal him. Morsham, who is another member of the section, has not donned the

## TSIN SHAN PLATE Shanghai 4 Looks A Good Thing

The Tsin Shan Plate over five furlongs is confined to the 22 subscription Ponies of the Macao Jockey Club and we should see a good field. I have not seen much of these ponies in action as all of them are practically trained at the Arca Preta, but from reliable information received, Shanghai 4 should have an easy passage to pass the wire to be followed by Hongmanay and Victory Life. Morsham should also be a good field in the Tolshan Handicap (Second Section) for D and E classes over a mile. Burjomaster or Ocean View can be relied upon to give a good run for our money, but be careful of Locksmith. The latter has been lame after having started only twice at the Annual Race Meeting and was on the sick list for a considerable length of time. He is in fine fettle but it is rumoured that Locksmith is not making the trip. Valley View is dangerous if Ocean View refuses to accept the handicap.

## THE MAIN EVENT AND A SPECIAL \$1 CASH SWEEP

The special dollars cash sweep is on this race, the Chung Shan Stakes over a mile and this is another event for the subscription ponies of the Macao Jockey Club. Being the main event, there are only 12 entries and a field of six runners is almost assured. According to the Racing Record issued by the Joint Shanghai Race Clubs, Shih Yin Grand has had a few wins and places to his credit and was a 1934 sub-griffin. However I had the pleasure of seeing this pony cantering half-a-mile and he certainly did impress me. Brown Bee belonging to Mr. G. H. Potts came from the Shanghai Race Club with a good reputation and so did Rotheray Bay. I tip these three ponies in the order named and I trust they will not disappoint me. It looks to me that many jockeys will be riding overweight as these Macao subs are on the small side, the majority of them being only 13.0 ponies.

## THE FATSHAN HANDICAP MEDIOCRE FIELD ATTRACTED

Only half-a-dozen mediocre "C" class China Ponies have been entered for the Fatshan Handicap over a mile and it is to be regretted that the Club has not received better support. The stake money for the winner is \$300 and it cannot be argued that the "Rhino" is not worth the candle. However the "Lan" outfit has entered two ponies, namely, Harvest View and Soldier of China, but I have good reason to doubt that the latter will make the excursion and Monoplane is, it seems, not fit to make the trip. I cannot see the field to be more than three starters but there will be a good race between Blaire, Great Hall and Harvest View. The Portuguese course very much and I am of the opinion that this pony of Mr. Li Tse-fong will just manage to oust his brother, Harvest View, for the primary honour.

## And In Good Form At Valley

### BLANDFORD PLEASES

(By "Captain Foster")

The heavy downpour during the early hours last Saturday morning was responsible for the absence of the more regular patrons of the Happy Valley training track; nevertheless there was a pretty good attendance of interested owners and keen racing fans to watch the ponies, although there were no sensational gallops.

It may be of interest to know that all the Australian ponies are looking extremely well and I was more than glad to see Able Amazon, Bag Tor, Blandford, Brenta, Holiday Eve, Streamline, The Dublin, Vixen Tor, Yo Ho and Zedine on the elder track doing their stuff. It will be recalled that all these were on the walking list after the big meeting on account of the heavy going and let us hope that Mr. Clerk of the Weather would be kinder during the rest of the season. With the return of our old timers, punters are assured of good sport and keen racing with plenty of thrills during the second half 1936 and we can certainly look forward for substantial dividends.

#### BAG TOR'S GALLOP

In the Australian Ponies Championships run on February 29, there were only five starters, namely, Able Amazon, Strathroy, Bag Tor, Vixen Tor and Yo Ho, and after this great classic event, Strathroy was the only pony to don the end of the first half. Last Saturday Bag Tor (Mr. Proulx) was given a slow mile but he romped home in 29 seconds for the last quarter, while the stable lady companion Vixen Tor was content to cover the two furlongs in 32.5/5th seconds.

The gallop of Blandford over the champion course in 2.52.3/5 was not a bad performance and it appeared to me that he enjoyed the little jaunt, coming home with the greatest alacrity to finish the last bit in 27 seconds. His last mile was journeyed in 2.09.3/5 and the last half was covered in 57.3/5 seconds. Although Streamline took a second-less to negotiate the same route, his finish was not at all convincing and with prejudice, the pony appeared to be little tired at the end.

It will be seen that there were at one time no less than ten classy ponies out of action (majority of them since the big meeting) for several months, and it must therefore be a source of great satisfaction to all the owners to see their chargers once again on the course.

## Sunday's Selections For Macao

### SHI YIN GRAND FOR BIG RACE

(By "Captain Foster")

#### TOISHAN HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

King's Parade  
Diogenes  
Night View

#### TSIN SHAN PLATE

Shanghai 4  
Hongmanay  
Victory Life

#### TOISHAN HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Burjomaster  
Ocean View  
Rugby Star

#### CHUNG SHAN STAKES

Shih Yin Grand  
Brown Bee  
Rotheray Bay

#### FAT SHAN HANDICAP

Great Hall  
Harvest View  
Blaire

#### PAO SHAN PLATE

Merry Deer  
Chiy Life  
Wentworth

#### THE LADIES SPRINT

The Snipe  
Blue Sailor  
Gunsmith



# First Real Cricket Test Between England And Australia Was Played in 1880

## ARMY AQUATICS

E. LANCAIRE'S WIN CUP KEEN RACING

The final events of the Hongkong Area Sports Board's twelfth annual swimming championships were held at the Victoria Recreation Club's pool yesterday afternoon.

At the conclusion, the prizes were distributed by Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew. Among the large gathering present were His Excellency Major-General A. W. Bartholomew, C.B.E., C.M.G., D.S.O. and Mrs. Bartholomew, Colonel H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., Major E. C. Eccles, R.A.M.C., Capt. K. I. Owen, Capt. G. H. K. Ryland, Capt. J. R. Thatcher, Lt. E. R. E. Dayrell, Lt. C. H. Genders, Lt. C. S. Genest, Lt. C. A. Luckin, Lt. L. C. Marson, Lt. W. D. O'Grady, Lt. T. B. H. Otway, and Lt. H. de B. Pritchard. The keenly contested results were as follows:

Small Units Relay: 1, 22nd Company, R.E.; 2, "C" Company (East Lancs); Time: 3 mins. 4 3/5 secs.

Army Boys' Handicap Race: 1, Frank Dwyer; 2, Tony Whigham; Time: 30 1/5 secs.

50 Yards Free-style (Indian): 1, "D" Company Punjab Regiment; 2, "A" Company Punjab Regiment; Time: 32 4/5 secs.

150 Yards Medley Army Championship: 1, Lt. Culvert (R.E.); 2, Rfm. Hamilton (R.U.R.); Time: 2 mins. 4 secs.

Officers' Race: 1, Lt. A. Lewis (R.W.F.); 2, Lt. R. Barron (R.E.); 3, Lt. D. Lincoln (R.U.R.); Time: 28 3/5 secs.

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220 Yards Free-style Championship: 1, Lt. Culvert (R.E.); 2, Pte. Taylor (E. Lancs.); Time: 2 mins. 42 1/5 secs.

High Diving: 1, Royal Engineers 6 points; 2, East Lancashire Regiment 4 points; 3, Royal Welch Fusiliers 2 points.

Individual Placings: 1, Cpl. Grigg.

## BEN FOORD'S PLANS

PETERSEN SAYS THAT HE WILL TRY AGAIN

(By Fred Dartnell)

London, Aug. 20. Jack Petersen's overthrow by Ben Foord was absolute at Leicester, but the ex-heavyweight champion does not despair. He is not going to retire from the boxing game although he has lost his title.

Petersen's left eye was plastered when he started for Cardiff in his car yesterday, and to an interviewer he remarked that he would try again. Once before Petersen lost his title—against Harvey, from whom he regained it. He is one of the few champions who have come back after being beaten.

"The specialist told me my injured right hand will heal in six weeks, and then for Walter Neusel," said Ben Foord yesterday. The Wembley people want the new champion to meet Neusel on Sept. 20. Ben at present proposes to take a short holiday on the South Coast and towards the end of the year a honeymoon in South Africa is probable. He and Miss Phyllis Sawyer, his fiancée, an Ashby schoolteacher, plan to be married in December.

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## AND ENGLAND WON A TIGHT GAME

### All-Professional XI In Australia

(By R. Abbit)

The visit of the Australian XI in 1878 had broken the ice and thereafter team after team visited England every other year until 1890 when the interval was extended by one year. The visit of the Australian team of 1880 gives a definite landmark in Australian cricket, for in that year they met the full strength of England in what has come to be known as a Test Match.

The term, by the way, began to be used in the nineties and I imagine is intended to describe the game as a test between the full strength of two countries.

But to revert to 1880. Although the first Test Match in England was played, not only was it very nearly not played, but the Australian tour came within an ace of being wrecked. These were the days of speculative tours and for some reason or another difficulties in Australia made it uncertain whether the team would start or not. Eventually they did go but by that time the fixture list had all been made up in England, and the Australians were forced to play matches against odds in Club Cricket in the North and Midlands. Mr. Altham records that at one time they were reduced to advertising for opponents. However, in the end Mr. C. W. Alcock, the enthusiastic Surrey secretary, persuaded Lord Harris to get together a representative English team but the game could not be played until the 6th, 7th and 8th of September at the Oval.

#### THE PERSONNEL

Before dealing with the game let us turn to the personnel of the Australian side. Of the 1878 side W. L. Murdoch, Spofforth, Alec Bannerman, Blackham and Boyle were with the 1880 side. Murdoch made his first appearance as captain. It is true that their bowling lacked the services of Garrett and Allan, but Spofforth, Boyle and Palmer bowled magnificently throughout the season.

The English XI was a very strong one, although it is recorded that some of the leading amateurs had to be recalled from Scotland where they had already commenced their shooting. Lord Harris had, among others W. G. Grace, G. F. Grace, A. G. Steel, A. P. Lucas, Alfred Lyttleton and Frank Penn, while the professionals, Shaw and Morley, bowled excellently. The English team made 420 in their first innings of which W. G. scored 152, but in fairness to the Australians it must be remembered that Spofforth was off the field with a damaged hand and so the Australians had practically to rely on Palmer and Boyle. In their first knock the visitors could only manage to collect 149 and it looked all but certain that the Australians were on an innings victory. But Murdoch beat W. G.'s score and their last two wickets added 140 runs. Murdoch was not out. Set to get 57 runs to win, Lord Harris altered the order and England promptly lost five wickets for twenty runs! W. G. and Penn then hit off the balance without further loss.

#### TWO CONCLUSIONS

This match, whether or no the fact was recognised at that time I do not know, proved conclusively two things: one that the Australian batting, their former great weakness, had improved enormously and secondly that the Australians were at their best when fighting an up-hill game. It had always been recognised that their bowling was very fine indeed and that their fielding and especially throwing was probably better than the average standard in England. Those who could read the writing on the wall must have, I think, on the 8th day of September, 1880, foreseen some such occurrence as took place on the 28th and 29th of August 1882.

The game more or less finished that tour in which they had won 5, lost 2 and drawn 4 of the eleven eleven-a-side matches which were

all they got. Financially it made all the difference between success and failure. There were two points of interest in it, for it was in this game that Donnor hit a terrific skier off Shaw and had run two runs before the ball dropped into the safe hands of G. F. Grace in the deep field. Within a fortnight of the game, poor Fred Grace was dead. I have never heard the cause of his death but he was just under thirty when it occurred.

#### SHAW'S TEAM

Eighteen months later the next English side left for Australia in the autumn of 1881, under the captaincy of Alfred Shaw. It was an all-professional team and included such notable new recruits to Australia as Deane of Yorkshire, Barlow and Pilling of Lancashire, and Lillywhite of Sussex, and also a young man who was destined to play a great part in cricket in after years, Arthur Shrewsbury, of Nottingham. Shaw, Selby, Bates, Emmett and Lytton had all I think, been out before. One notable fact was that the side included two of the most confirmed stone-wallers that ever tempted a bowler to homicide—R. G. Dooly, of Lancashire, and Scotland of Nottingham. The former got away with it because he and A. M. Harnay used to steal the most important short runs for the first wicket.

"As the run-stealers flicker to and fro, Oh, my Hornby and my Barlow long ago!"

But I have always heard that Scotland was dreadful. As Punch wrote:

"But you won't put the pot on But one hour of grace or Walter Read were worth a year of you."

(That quotation is all wrong but I am quoting from memory). (Of the eight eleven-a-side matches England won three, lost two and drew two but the two losses and the two draws were all matches against Australia.)

Spofforth, Palmer, Boyle and Garrett did the damage with the ball. Horan (who made a great name later as "Felix" in Australian cricket journalism) better excellently upon several occasions. Incidentally it is recorded that the Australian wickets had by now begun to approach their later excellence, and it was a wonderful bit of work of Peate's to take 261 wickets for five runs apiece even if many of them were secured in games against odds.

(To Be Continued)

#### HOME FOOTBALL

### BIG SCORES AT SHEFFIELD

#### TEN GOALS IN A MATCH

London, Sept. 10. Sheffield Wednesday, playing at home to Everton in a first division English Football League match today, won a high-scoring match of ten goals by 6-4.

In the southern section of the third division, Clifton Orient were visited by Cardiff, the Welshmen winning by the only goal scored, while Brighton journeyed to Newport and won handily by four goals to one.—Reuter.

## HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

SUB-COMMITTEES FOR SEASON

### BADGES GIVEN

The appointment of an Umpires' Board, the election of several sub-committees, the hearing of the report of the Awards sub-committee, and the fixing of dates for the Civilian versus Combined match and for the commencement of the Inter-section tournament made up the business dealt with at a Council meeting of the Hongkong Hockey Association, held at St. Andrew's Church hall last evening.

Mr. A. A. Dand was in the chair and those present were Mr. F. A. Kemp (Hon. Secretary), G. Sommer (Hongkong Hockey Club), Lieut. J. P. Williams (Army), Lieut. R. C. Garwood (Navy), Mr. A. E. P. Guest (Radio), Mr. G. T. Palmer (Y.M.C.A.), Mr. L. Tyler (Police), Mr. A. S. Xavier (Argonauts), Mr. K. Hussain (Kowloon Indians T.C.), Mr. E. A. P. Alves, (Recreo) and Capt. G. W. P. Kimm.

After Comdr. J. E. Broome, R.N., Capt. G. W. P. Kimm, Mr. A. E. P. Guest and Mr. G. T. Palmer had been appointed to serve on the Umpires' Board, the Chairman expressed his thanks to the out-going members for their work last year. There had been, he said, an improvement in hockey generally, and he hoped further betterment would be made this season.

The following were elected to serve on the Selection Committee for any colony representative matches: Comdr. Vauchope, R.N., Mr. G. T. Palmer, Mr. A. M. Xavier, the Hon. Secretary of the Association, and the Army Hockey Secretary.

Mr. W. Woodward, Mr. L. Tyler and Mr. K. Hussain were appointed members of the Civilian Selection Sub-committee. It was also decided that this sub-committee should run the Association Inter-section Tournament as well.

The date for the commencement of the tournament was fixed for Tuesday, October 6, while Sunday, December 13, was chosen for the Civilian versus Combined Services match.

#### DRIVE FOR FUNDS

In aid of Interport funds, the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Association are holding a Bridge and Mah Jongg drive on Friday, November 6, at 3.15 p.m. at the Gloucester Hotel. Tickets will be on sale at \$1 each, including tea.



Toni Merkens, the German racing cyclist, who won a good medal at the World Olympics has turned professional.

## INTERPORT BOWLS

### Shanghai Defeats Hongkong

Shanghai, Sept. 10. In the Interport Bowls Championship, Shanghai defeated Hongkong by 18 to 15.—Reuter.

Shanghai, Sept. 10. Hongkong took the lead on the third head when they scored a two, followed by a one on the next head, and they held their lead till the thirteenth head.

On the twelfth, tenth and fourteenth heads Shanghai laid three. Hongkong scored ones on the sixteenth, nineteenth and twentieth heads, and Shanghai scored a two on the last head.

Hyde Lay played an excellent game and was well supported, but neither he nor the side generally had much of the luck.

The sides were as follow:

Hongkong: A. Hyde Lay (skip), A. H. Alves (three), J. S. McGown (two), and A. E. Coates (lead).

Shanghai: C. W. Glover (skip), T. G. Muir (three), C. Richards (two) and S. Medina (lead).—United Press.

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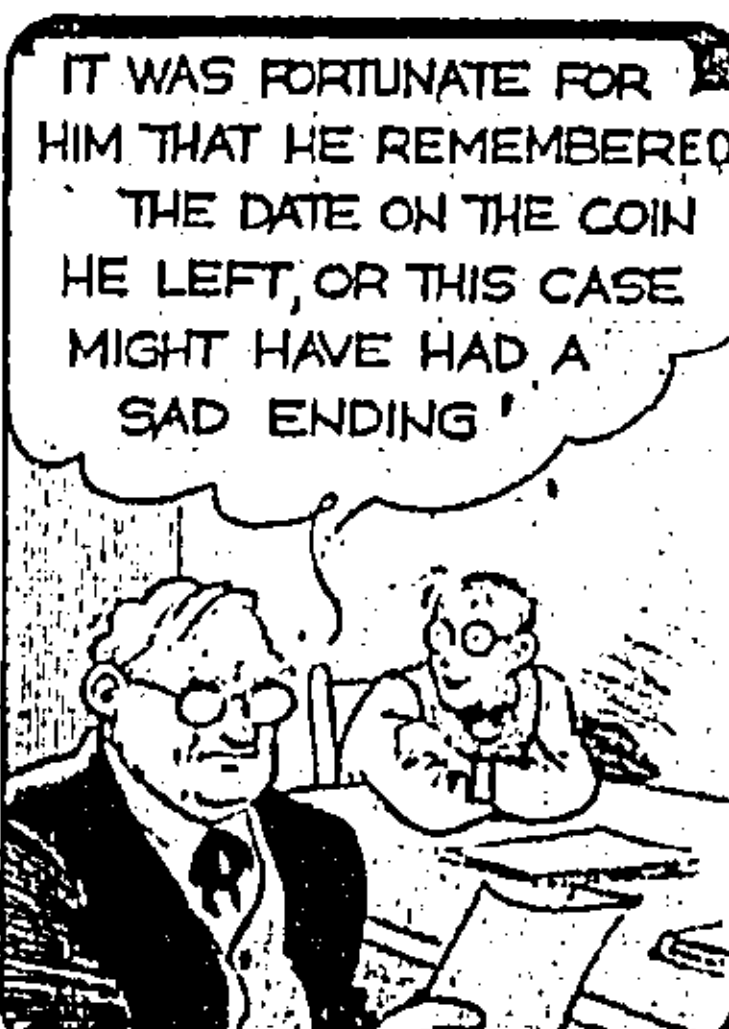
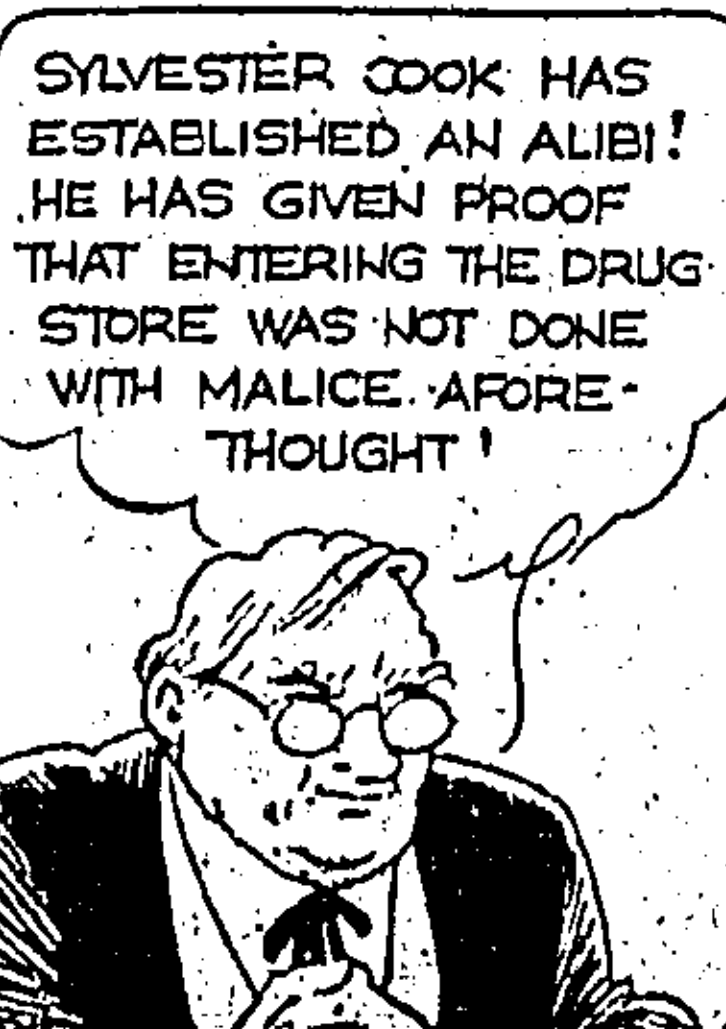
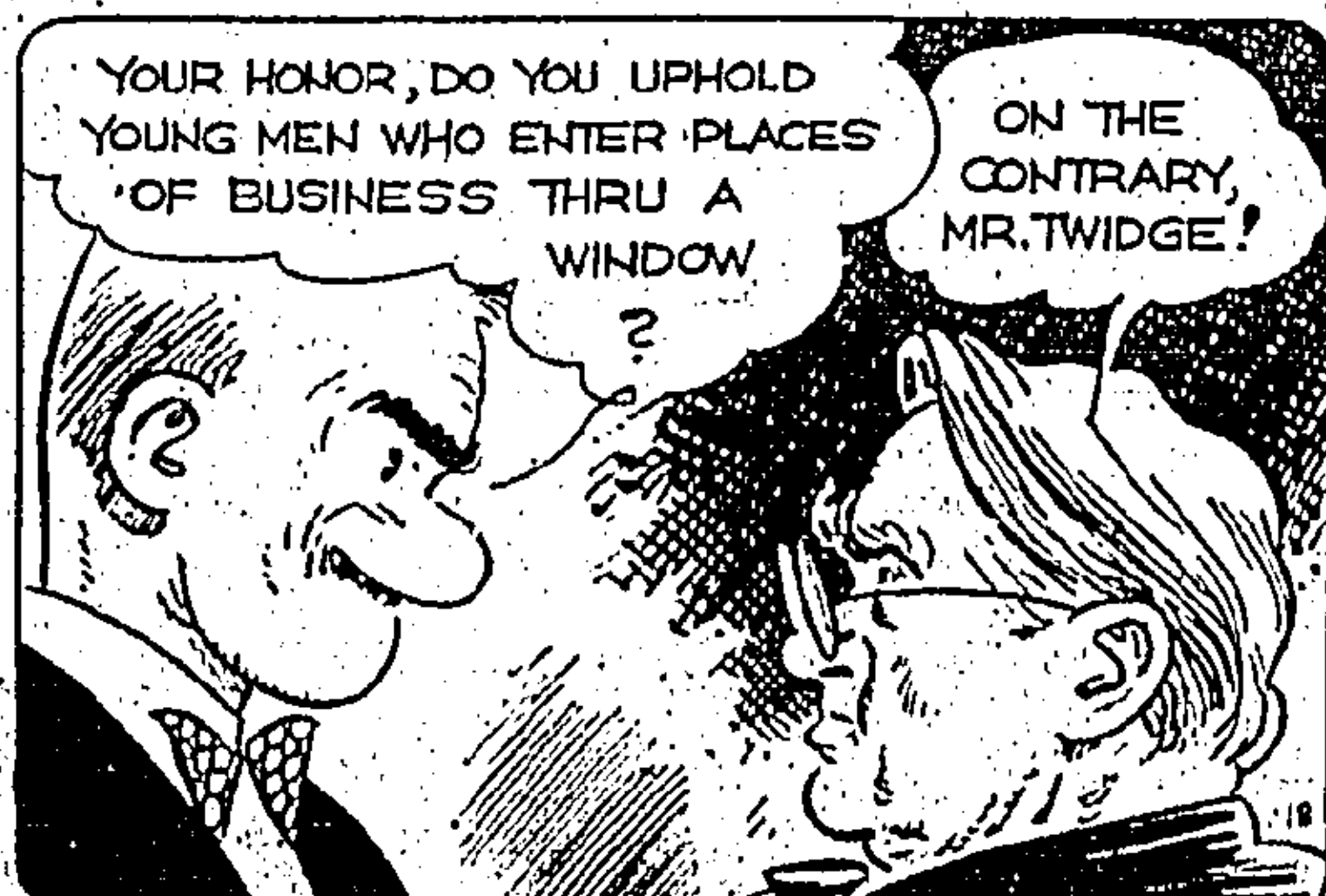
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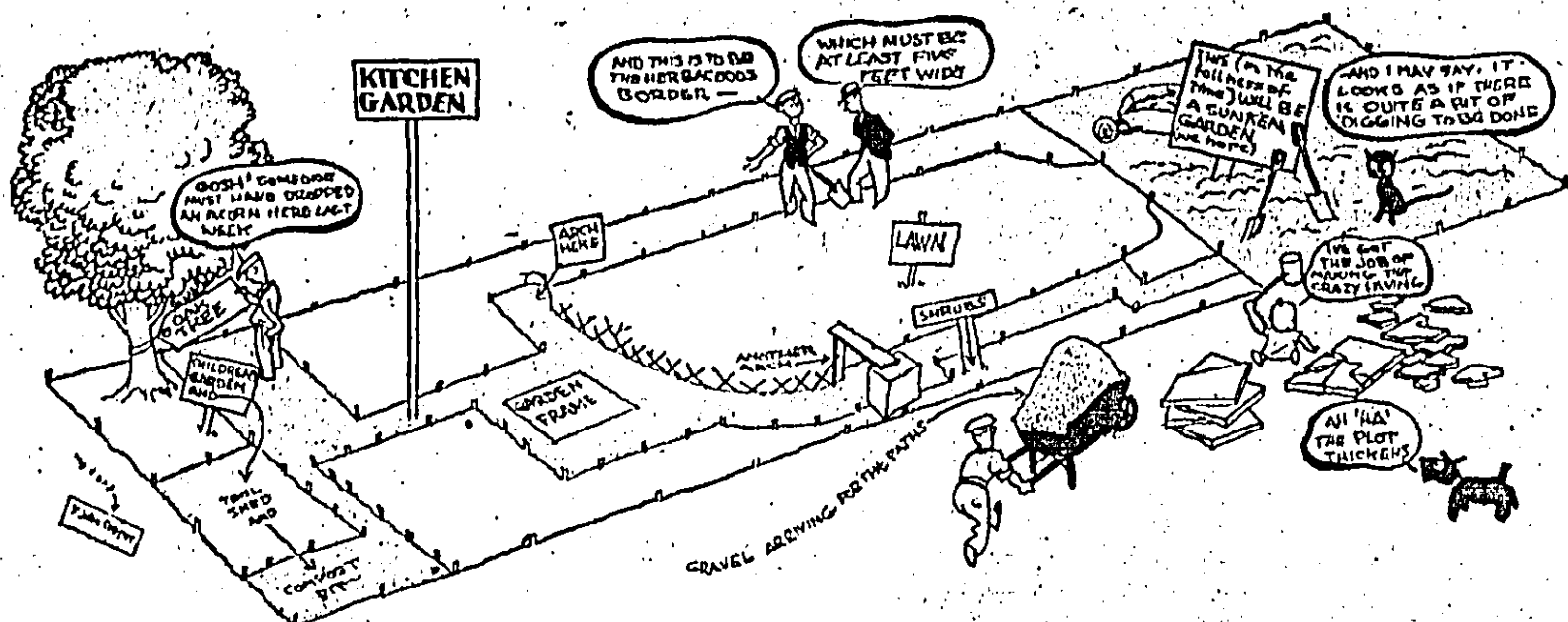
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Plan for the new garden is submitted, modified by the expert—and . . .

## Mr. Brown pegs out

I FOUND BROWN sitting on the rubble when I paid my second visit.

"Thought some of this coarse stuff would do for the foundations of the paths" was his first remark.

"Excellent," I said, "and the finer material, containing lime, will help to break down the heavy soil."

The plot now revealed a much more hopeful picture than it did last week—the grass cut, large weeds extracted, all faithfully burned, as directed.

As I viewed the site Brown fumbled with a piece of paper, and I could see he was eager to discuss the plan.

"This is something like my ideal garden," he said, "and the finer material, containing lime, will help to break down the heavy soil."

Under that oak tree is an ideal spot for a children's playground, and garden; a swing stand, and a strong branch, a seat, and a few flower beds in the sun complete that section.

"That gives me an idea, Brown. Under that oak tree is an ideal spot for a children's playground, and garden; a swing stand, and a strong branch, a seat, and a few flower beds in the sun complete that section."

"This is the plan . . ."

GLANCING at the plan, I noticed that the most fertile part of the garden is to be near the house. There is to be a small formal sunken garden with a central rectangular pool, surrounded by a path and walling, which supports four raised flower beds. These are to be separated by four sets of steps, each leading to a path giving access on the south side to the lawn, and on the east, which will command a view of the formal garden as well as the herbaceous border.

"Splendid, Brown! But I must say that three feet wide for an herbaceous border is too narrow—a common mistake of many amateurs. Five, or even seven, feet would be much better. Then you can have

truly fine masses of colour. It only means a slightly smaller lawn.

"That group of shrubs on the N.E. corner of the lawn will look rather isolated, don't you think? Why not link it with a shrub border jutting out along the S.E. fence?"

"It is true it will break the straightness of that path, but that is desirable, as it will prevent a view of the kitchen garden, rarely a picturesque spot. Besides, such a path will create surprises, such as one turns the corner, an excellent principle to introduce, with moderation, into a design."

"That was her idea . . ."

BROWN nodded approval, but I could see that he was anxious to say something.

"I hope you will not suggest an alternative to the curved rose-screen and border skirting the north side of the remainder of the path," adding hesitatingly, "That's the wife's idea."

"And a good one, too," I said. I could see it would relieve the rectangular shape of the plot.

"The path behind it led to a rose arch over an entrance to the lawn, and to a service path giving access to the children's garden and shelter, which had now been agreed upon, a garden frame, tool shed, and compost pit."

"Now do this . . ."

"YOUR next job," I said, "is to 'peg out'."

BROWN looked surprised, and the plan fluttered from his hand.

"I mean, of course, the paths and borders; in fact, the whole design may be done. Use a garden line, and begin by inserting a set of pegs down the centre of the garden. Then measure off from these."

"Make those gravel paths running down the garden first, as these will enable you to wheel material about."

"Excavate to a depth of one foot, using the top soil for raising slightly raised borders."

"Twelve inches," said Brown with surprise. "I thought six would be ample."

"So do many amateurs, but 75 per cent. of such paths eventually crack,

### Garden Basket and Rake



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sink, or are waterlogged. Paths are generally permanent, and the secret of successful path-making is to have a good foundation.

A. E. G.

### Consider your Verdict CROW

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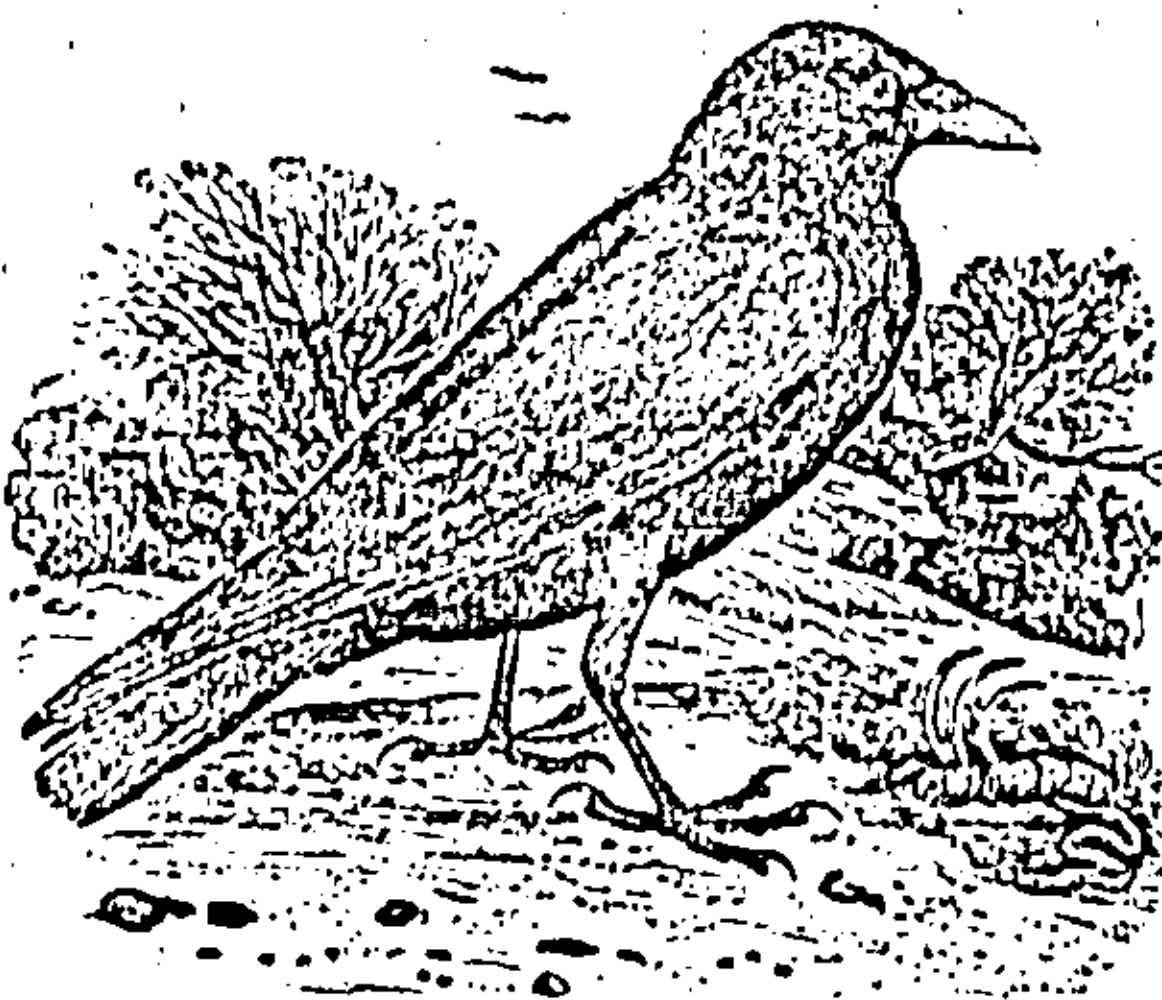
Has a keen appetite for insects, particularly grubs. Over one-quarter of its daily food at this time of the year consists of such pernicious enemies of the garden as larvae of the cockchafer, the crane-fly, (leather jacket), and click beetle (wireworm). Will eat slugs and snails when choicer meat is not available. Young fed on similar diet which parent collects in large quantities, forming a solid lump under lower jaw, before returning to its nest.

Also eats the larger weed seeds.

### AGAINST:

Will regularly frequent a lawn in search of food, pecking up the grass in little bunches and throwing it in all directions.

For same reason lifts out of the ground or damages potato sets, shallots and turnips, the last often being so disfigured as to be useless for consumption.



## Give your vegetables elbow room

THE whole object of cultivating a vegetable plot is to get as much out of it as possible.

This cannot, of course, be done if one starves either soil or plants through overcrowding or overwatering.

One of the chief ways of increasing one's output is, strangely enough, a process of elimination. By thinning out the plants of various vegetables one ensures a good crop of them instead of no crop at all.

When thinning out never be afraid of leaving plenty of space between the plants. Take no notice of the size they are at present. Think of what they will become.

With root plants you have to consider not only the amount of ground which their roots may require, but the amount of sky-space which their foliage will take up. Closely

packed leaves will rob the roots of themselves best to transplanting are lettuce, endive, onion, kohlrabi, and sweet corn.

There can be no set distances for thinning out. You must have some idea of the expected size of the finished product. If there is any doubt, give the plants the benefit of sun, and allow them plenty of room, until they have become established.

Average distances, which can be extended by two or three inches for the offspring of families which produce monsters, are as follows:—

Beet, 8 ins.; lettuce, 9 ins.; parsnip, 9 ins.; spinach, 10 ins.; turnip, 10 ins.; cauliflower, 10 ins.; onion, 10 ins.; kohlrabi, 10 ins.; sweet corn, 2 ft.; carrot, 6 ins.; swede, 6 ins.

All these transplanted vegetables want three conditions for success—sun, soil, and water. The globe varieties of beet can also be transplanted quite easily, but they must be shaded from the sun, and damped over each evening, until they have become established.

The art of thinning out lies in leaving the survivors as undisturbed as possible.

Choose a moment for the job when the soil has been thoroughly moistened by rain. Failing this, give the lines a thorough soaking some hours before attacking them.

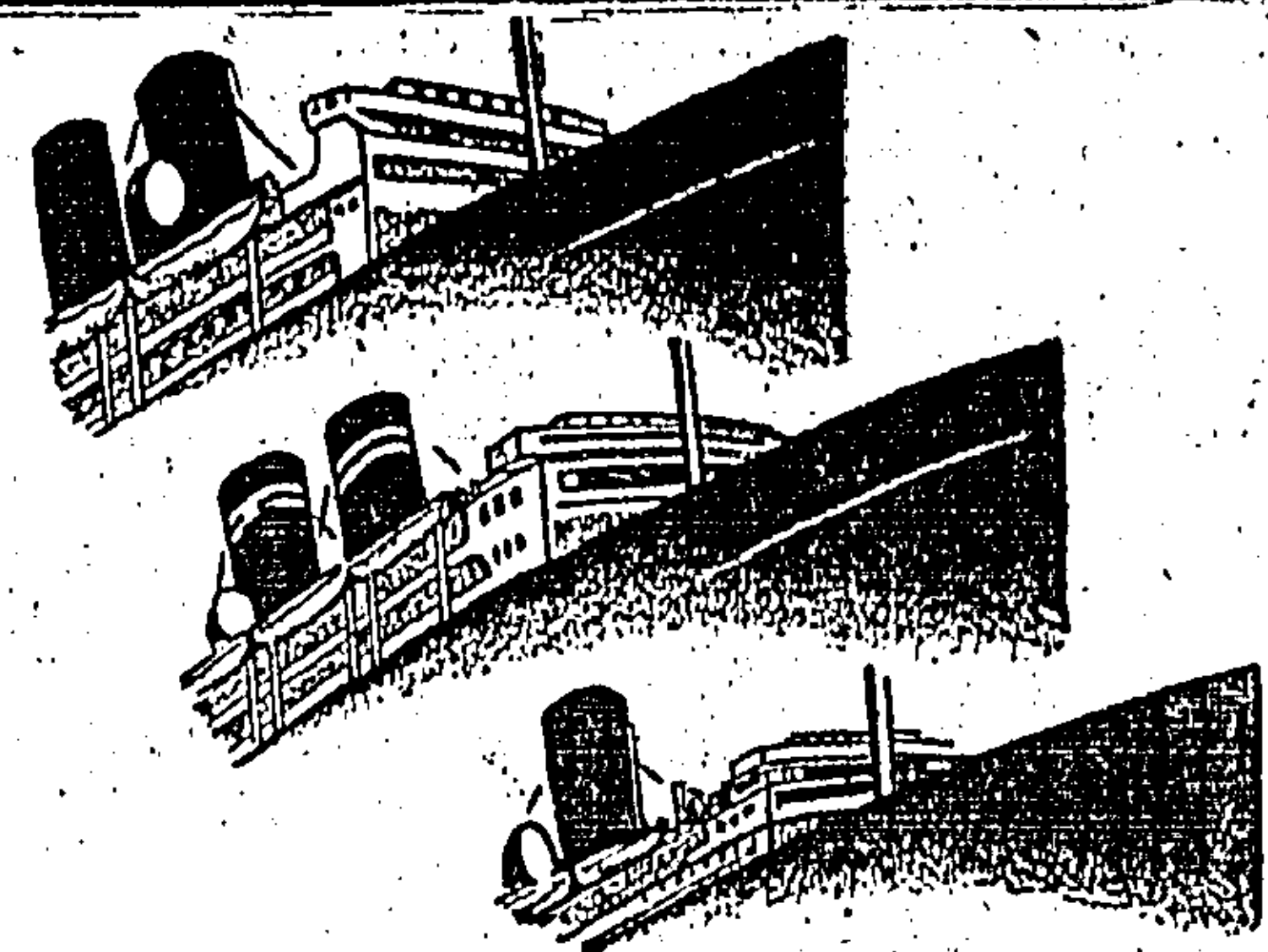
Of the vegetables which I have mentioned, the ones which lend

themselves best to transplanting are lettuce, endive, onion, kohlrabi, and sweet corn.

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Finally, give each plant a good drink from the watering-can when you put it in. Everything depends on a good start.

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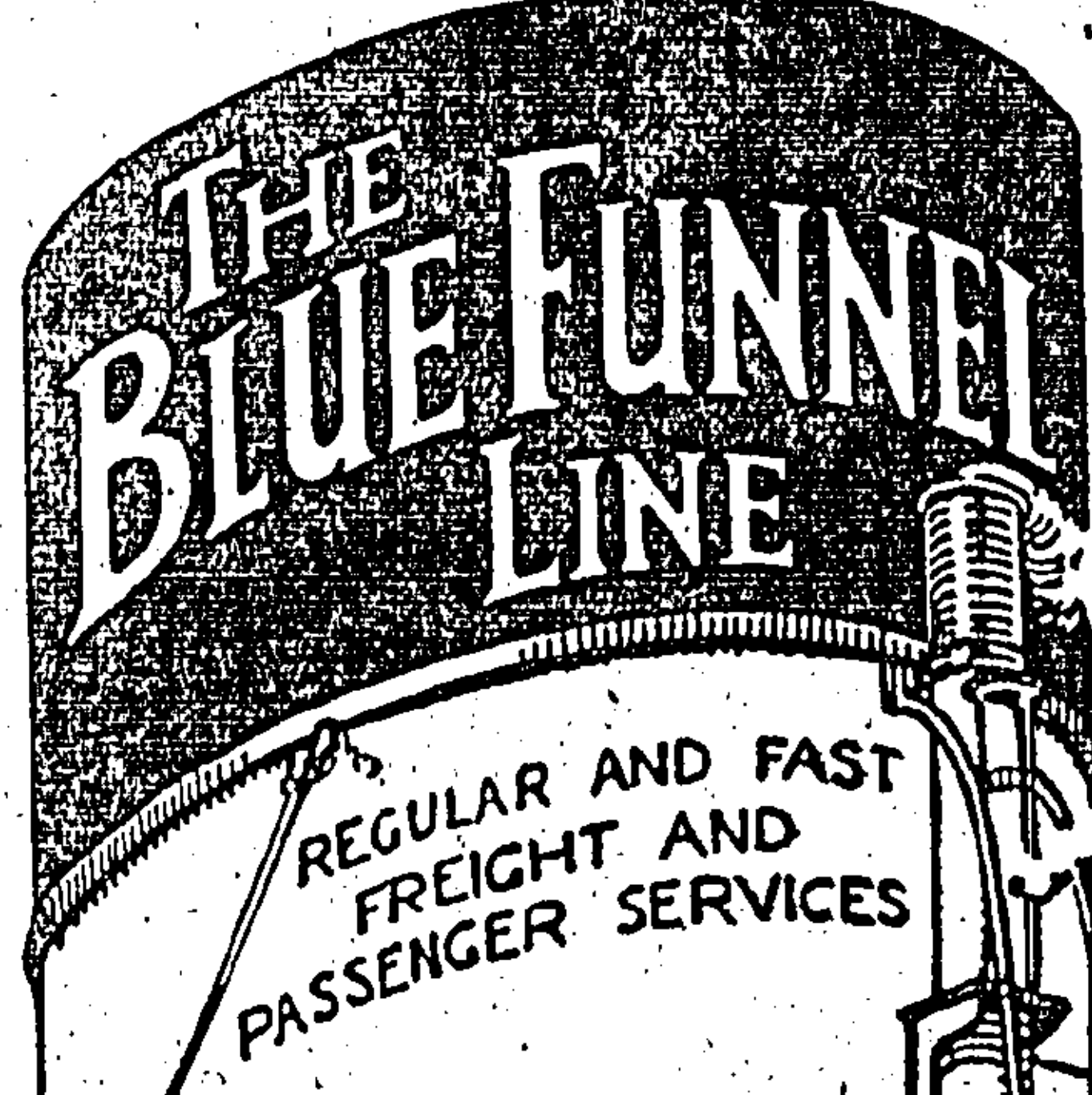
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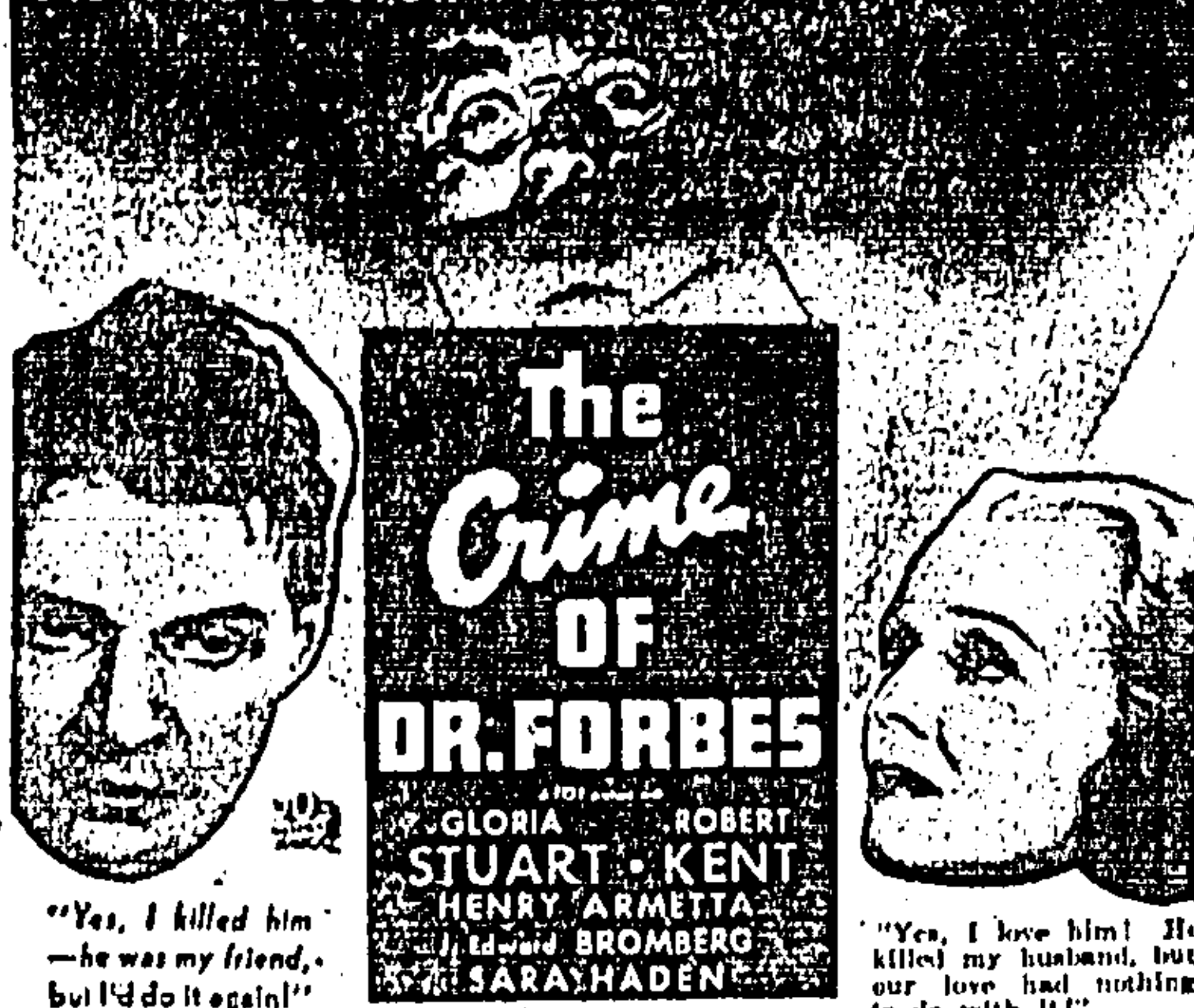


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In Utah a great-granddaughter of the famous Mormon leader Brigham Young is still living. She is Frankie Young and is known as an expert horsewoman. In the picture above she is shown with one of her favourites.

## £722,093 ELECTION EXPENSES

COST OF CAMPAIGN  
ANALYSED  
AVERAGE OF 7.8d  
PER VOTE

Candidates' expenses at the General Election, 1935, have been analysed and analysed, have been issued by the Home Office, and are published by the Stationery Office. They show that £722,093 was spent for a total poll of 21,907,054—an average cost of 7.8d. per vote.

The total cost was divided as follows:

England and Wales ... £651,362

Scotland ... £ 68,998

Northern Ireland ... £ 3,793

For the 62 London borough seats there were 135 candidates, who spent £65,724 to secure 1,741,474 votes—an average of just over 1d. a vote.

The most expensive candidature in London was that of Sir Malcolm Campbell, who failed to win Deptford by nearly 7,000 votes. His campaign cost £1,186.

This figure was nearly equalled by Mrs. Violet van der Elst at Putney. She received only 1,021 votes, and her campaign cost £1,156.

She thus spent £1 2s. 7½d. for every vote she obtained.

The only other London candidature which passed the £1,000 mark was that of Capt. A. Cunningham-Reid, who spent £1,062 and held St. Marylebone.

The lowest figures among the successful candidatures were those of the two M.P.s for the City, Sir Vansittart Bowater and Sir Alan Anderson, who spent £75 and £101 respectively.

EXPENSIVE BLACKPOOL.

In the English boroughs, the most expensive candidatures were those of Mr. J. R. Robinson, who spent £1,794 at Blackpool, Capt. W. F. Strickland at Coventry (£1,514), and Mr. Henry Channon, at Southend-on-Sea (£1,730).

Other English boroughs where four-figure expenditure was reached by candidates were:

Ipswich—Sir John Gannon, £1,201.

Leicester East—Mr. A. M. Lyons, £1,099.

Leicester West—Hon. Harold Nicholson, £1,151.

Liverpool, Wavertree—Major P. S. Shaw, £1,260.

Manchester, Ardwick—Mr. J. Henderson, £1,049.

Manchester, Exchange—Mr. P. T. Eekersley, £1,059.

Norwich—Mr. H. G. Strauss, £1,264.

Plymouth, Sutton—Viscountess Astor, £1,063; Mr. George Ward, £1,106.

Reading—Mr. A. B. Howitt, £1,092.

Rochester, Chatham—Capt. L. F. Plugg, £1,023.

Rotherham—Mr. W. Dobbie, £1,103.

South Shields—Mr. Harcourt Johnstone, £1,344; Mr. F. A. Burden, £1,093.

Stockton-on-Tees—Capt. M. H. Macmillan, £1,167.

Wimbledon—Sir John Power, £1,114.

Wolverhampton, Bilston—Mr. I. C. Hannah, £1,016.

Wolverhampton, West—Sir Robert Bird, £1,105.

The lowest expenditure in the English boroughs was that of Mr. J. W. Tarper, Independent candidate for Walsall, who spent only £21 on his 1,480 votes. Mr. J. J. Tinker was elected without opposition for Leigh at a cost of £72, the Rev. H. D. Longbottom spent only £88 for 6,077 votes in the Kirkdale division of Liverpool, and Mr. K. G. Brooks secured 8,173 votes in Ecclesall at a cost of £94.

In the English counties two candidates exceeded £2,000—Mr. F. E. Clarke, at Dartford, with £2,233; and Mr. John Moore, at Nuneaton, with £2,334. Mr. Baldwin had to pay only £172 for his unopposed return, but Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's defeat cost him £1,260.

The lowest returns came from Northern Ireland, where the two Conservative members for County Antrim spent only £4 between them, while North Belfast's M.P., paid £5 and East Belfast's M.P., £7.

Los Angeles, August 10.  
L Angeles Court to-day in the expectation of hearing Dr. Franklyn Thorpe elaborate his charges that his ex-wife, Miss Mary Astor, the red-haired screen star, is "a person of continuous gross immoral conduct."

The charges, he declares, are based on her private diary, but the actress, denying his sensational statements, has refused to settle the case out of court.

Looking very lovely in a black tailored suit, violet hat with a nodding white flower, and a white lace blouse, she eyed Dr. Thorpe steadily to-day as her lawyers submitted him to a ruthless questioning regarding his relations with many women.

These, she contends, make him an unfit person to have the custody of their daughter Marylyn, aged four.

Last year Dr. Thorpe won his suit for divorce and was awarded the custody of Marylyn, and Miss Astor is now seeking to set aside the decree and secure the annulment of the marriage on the ground that he was married to another woman when they eloped in 1931.

Dr. Thorpe, before stepping into the witness-stand, remarked: "I had hoped to protect Mary. I'm sorry for what's going to come out."

He stated that he visited the child three times a week while she was staying with her mother and found that she was not treated in a motherly manner. He said he objected to the conduct of a nurse named Clarke who failed to carry out his instructions concerning the child's diet.

Counsel for the actress then introduced the name of another nurse, Norma Taylor, who was employed after the dismissal of Miss Clarke.

Dr. Thorpe denied that Miss Taylor was at any time his sweetheart.

He specifically denied that she had shared his home and that they had ever had breakfast together in bed.

He said, however, that he had once called the police to restrain her when she went to his home "from a cocktail party."

Dr. Thorpe was positive that Lilian Miles, who, Miss Astor alleges, was his wife, had never spent a night in his house. He admitted, however, that Betty Grant had visited his home at times, "not exactly as a relief nurse."

Lillian Miles declared that the allegations as to her relations with Dr. Thorpe were absolutely and viciously untrue, and that it was ridiculous to allege that she was his common-law wife.

HE FLEW THROUGH THE AIR

Farmer Borne Aloft By 168 Vultures

MODERN "MAGIC CARPET"

What must be the strangest experience in the history of flying has been the lot of Senhor Adolpho Rezende, a farmer of St. Gothard, in the Brazilian State of Minas Geraes, says Reuter from Rio de Janeiro. He was borne through the air by a number of birds. The flight lasted five minutes.

The birds—168 of them—were quite unintentional so far as the farmer was concerned.

Cowboys employed on the Rezende estate had stretched out a cow hide on the ground to dry in the sun. Then "as a joke" they caught 168 vultures and tied them to the hide. A large rock held the hide in position, and the cowboys amused themselves watching the efforts of the birds to get away.

Cowboy employed on the scene. Expostulating with his men for their "prank," he called on one of them to help him roll off the boulder. This eventually was done.

The vultures, thoroughly frightened, rose into the air with beating wings. The man sprang off the hide—but Adolpho Rezende was not quick enough.

Crouching helplessly in the middle of his "magic carpet," he was lifted high into the air and flown off by an aero-engine of 168 vulture power. For five minutes the birds bore him aloft.

Then, tired out by their efforts to regain their freedom, the vultures alighted on grass.

The cowboys rushed up and rescued their breathless employer. His first words to his assembled men were to the point. "You're all fired," Adolpho Rezende assured them.

TWO SPHINXES

This pylon was subsequently usurped by no fewer than seven kings, including (of course) Ramesses II., who left on the entrance an interesting inscription of the last years of his reign. The text mentions the 9th, 10th and 11th sed-festivals of his reign, whereas previously only nine were known. In front of the pylon are two sphinxes of Thothmes III., one with the head preserved, and on the wall of the temple a cubit is engraved, duodecimally divided. If it is the cubit of construction, it is the smallest by a thousand years to be so divided, for this method was thought to have been introduced by the Greeks.

Behind the pylon are the foundations of the great Ptolemaic temple, seven courses of stone thick. This platform is composed of blocks of earlier temples, which were pulled down when the Ptolemaic building was erected and many remarkably well-preserved examples of colour from the temple of Thothmes III. have been found.

Amongst them is a granite block, the face of which is still almost completely covered with gold leaf. This must have come from one of the so-called "golden doors" of the temple, and it is certain that Thothmes erected a splendid building to Montu, the god of war, after his victories.

Though the entire Graeco-Roman level of the town has been destroyed in modern times (since 1850), the pylon levels are largely undamaged. Most interesting of all are the lowest levels, which are proto-dynastic and late predynastic, and show Armanu to have the longest known consecutive history of any town in Egypt. Once a sacred spot, always a sacred spot, and the Expedition have great hopes that they will discover a temple of the proto-dynastic kings.

Since the only kings whose names have previously been recorded from Armanu are Mentuhotep V., Thothmes III., Ptolemy XI., and Cleopatra VII., it may be of interest to give a list of those whose names have been found this year: Intef-Sankh-ka-Re, Amenhotep I., Senusert I., Senusert III., Sobekhotep, Ahmose I., Hatshepsut, Thothmes III., Amenhotep II., and III., Akhenaton, Ramesses II., III., IV., and VI., Merneptah, Amenmesse, and II. Apries, Neithorheh, Ptolemy VI., VII., X., and XI., Cleopatra, and Antoninus Plus.

EXCAVATIONS AT ARMANT

Cairo, Aug. 10.

The Robert Mond Expedition of the Egypt Exploration Society, composed of Miss M. S. Drower, epigrapher, Dr. Gordon Macgregor, osteometrist, photographer and surveyor, R. E. McEuen, technical assistant, Mrs. Myers, artist, and Mr. Oliver H. Myers, who resumed excavating at Armanu after two years of publishing, report that the site of the Lake of Cleopatra was found without difficulty.

It is, in fact, still a sacred lake, for its water is said to have curative properties. Excavations soon showed the walls of the lake well-preserved to within two or three metres of the original surface, and a stone stairway leading down each side.

Some dressed stones showing on the surface of the Suq square proved to belong to a pylon of Thothmes III., built to celebrate his victories. It is preserved to a height of about two metres, and along the North face is a magnificent procession of negroes bearing spoils from the King's Nubian campaign. The workmanship is delicate and the movements of the negroes dancing (in attitudes to be seen in Harlem to-day) and holding back the captive animals are most vivid.

At the head of the procession is carved a rhinoceros, with its dimensions in cubits, palms and digits inscribed beside it; this is the first representation of this animal from Egypt.

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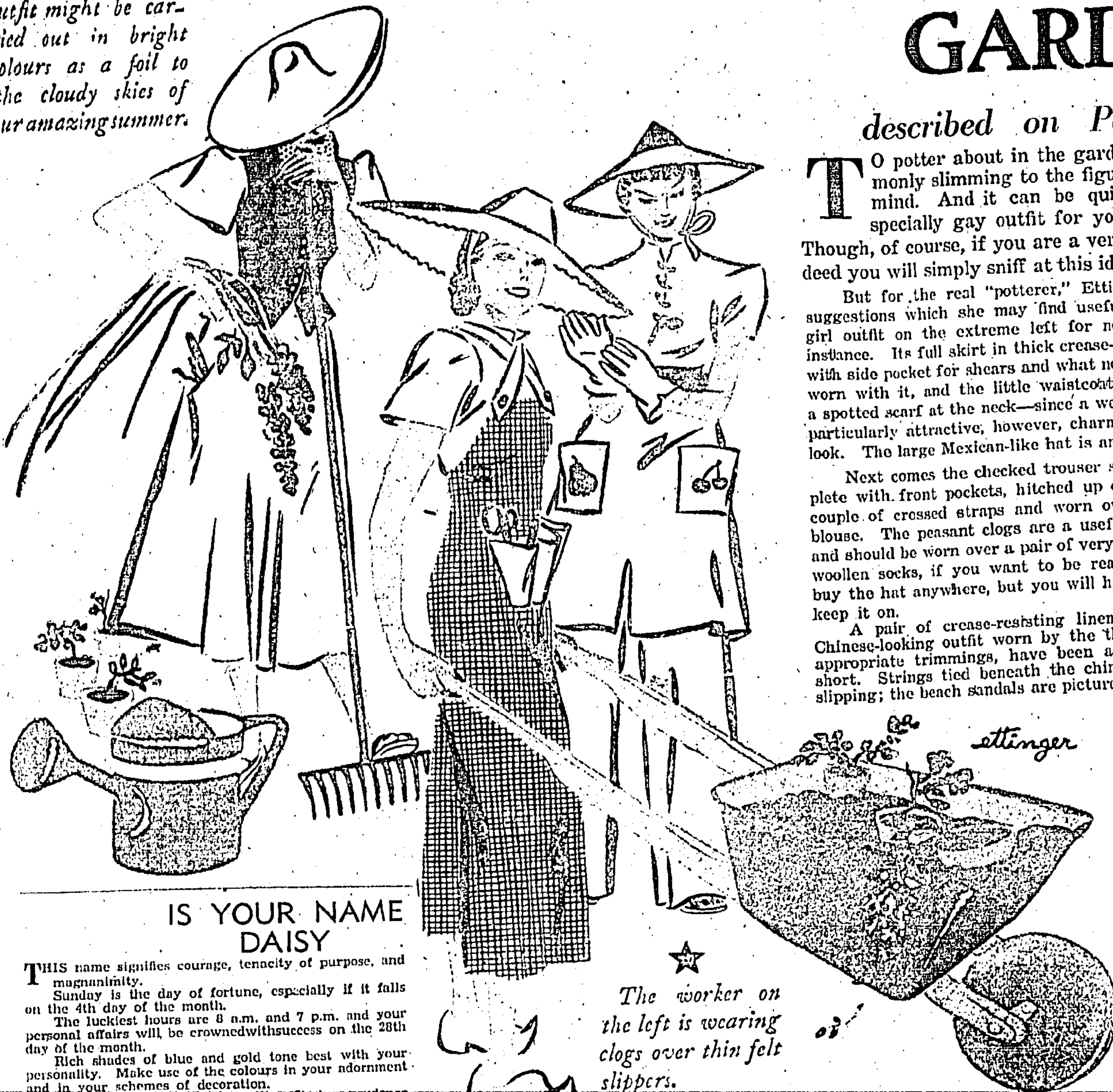
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# Victoria Crappelle says "Let's have GAIETY in the GARDEN"

This peasant girl outfit might be carried out in bright colours as a foil to the cloudy skies of our amazing summer.



## IS YOUR NAME DAISY

THIS name signifies courage, tenacity of purpose, and magnanimity. Sunday is the day of fortune, especially if it falls on the 4th day of the month. The luckiest hours are 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. and your personal affairs will be crowned with success on the 28th day of the month. Rich shades of blue and gold tone best with your personality. Make use of the colours in your adornment and in your schemes of decoration. Your lucky stone is the chrysolite. It gives prudence and good judgment. Your flower is the yellow chrysanthemum and your lucky number is 4.

The worker on the left is wearing clogs over thin felt slippers.

described on Page 10. To potter about in the garden is not only uncommonly slimming to the figure but soothing to the mind. And it can be quite helpful to keep a specially gay outfit for your recreation as well. Though, of course, if you are a very serious gardener indeed you will simply sniff at this idea.

But for the real "potterer," Ettinger has sketched a few suggestions which she may find useful. There is the peasant girl outfit on the extreme left for not-too-warm weather, for instance. Its full skirt in thick crease-resisting linen is complete with side pocket for shears and what not, any plain blouse can be worn with it, and the little waistcoat might be in crash, with a spotted scarf at the neck—since a weather-beaten throat is not particularly attractive, however, charming sunburned arms may look. The large Mexican-like hat is an ordinary garden hat.

Next comes the checked trouser skirt of heavy cotton complete with front pockets, hitched up over the shoulders with a couple of crossed straps and worn over a short-sleeved cotton blouse. The peasant clogs are a useful adjunct on a damp day and should be worn over a pair of very thin felt slippers or heavy woollen socks, if you want to be really comfortable. You can buy the hat anywhere, but you will have to stitch on a strap to keep it on.

A pair of crease-resisting linen pyjamas constitutes the Chinese-looking outfit worn by the third figure. Pockets, with appropriate trimmings, have been added; and the sleeves cut short. Strings tied beneath the chin keep the coolie hat from slipping; the beach sandals are picturesque and inexpensive.

These garden outfits might be made at home and eked out by an odd blouse or waistcoat and a wide-brimmed becoming rough straw hat. Make the pockets of thin felt.

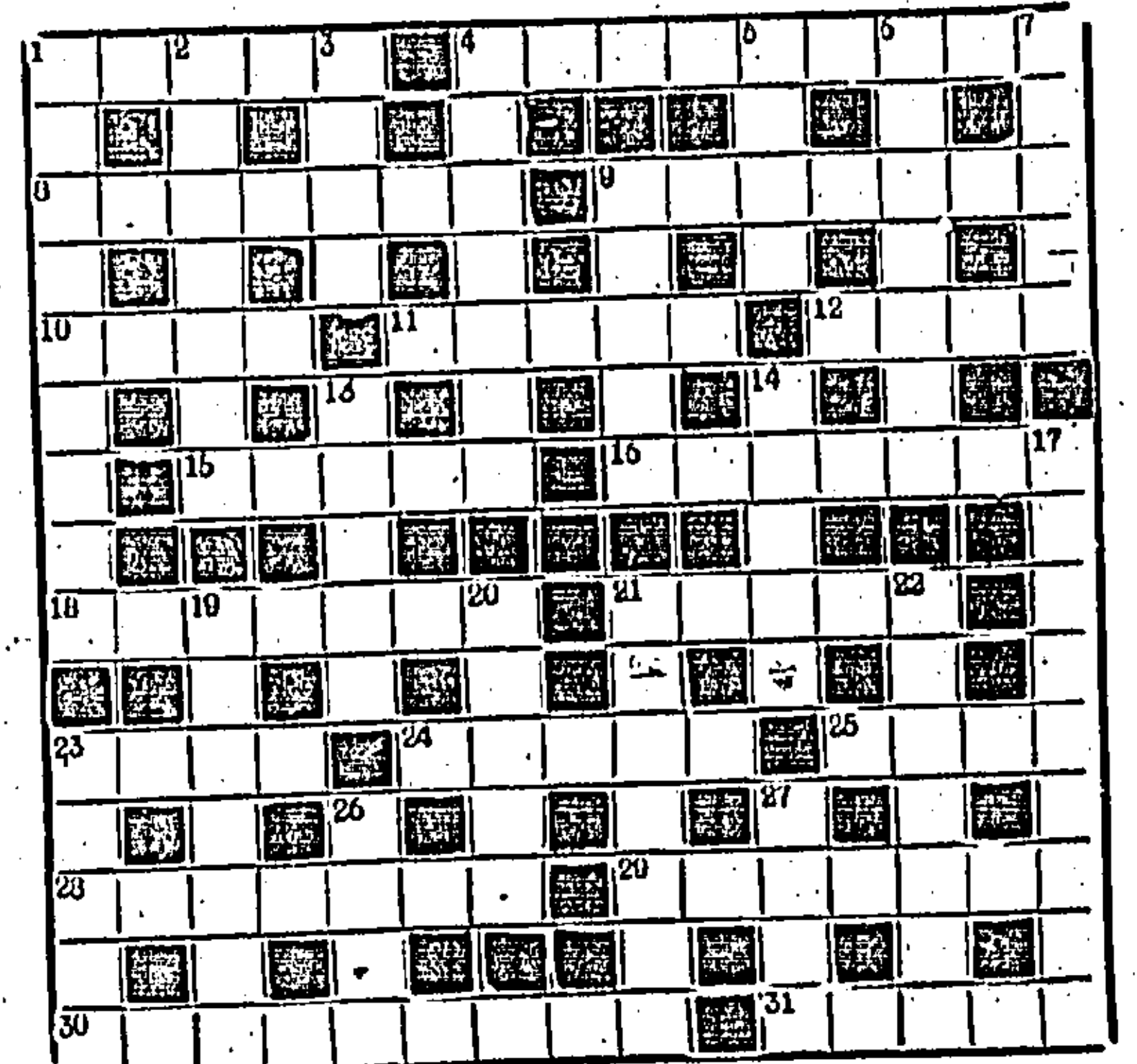
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### ACROSS

- 1 Disorder of the flesh: when you're put on it, that's when you begin to put it on.
- 4 You anagram solvers can do it skilfully enough, whatever your ants may set.
- 8 In the U.S.A. and Russia.
- 9 Not a frivolous giddiness.
- 10 Stern's next corporal.
- 11 Disappointed if he doesn't get his commission.
- 12 No name for a great Dane.
- 15 Whom did this county last tie?
- 16 This shrub is angry if not kept in order.
- 18 A crafty designer.
- 21 "It is the little rift within the lute, that by and by will make the mute" (Tennyson).
- 23 Weakens the spirit.
- 24 Good place to see shooting stars.
- 25 How many stories has this started?
- 26 A famous Walter.
- 29 In one's room.
- 30 Including everything but capital.
- 31 The source of manna?

### DOWN

- 1 Blind but vulgarly not nearly so much.
- 2 Public schoolboy.
- 3 Fruit.
- 4 Just as great when altered (two words, 4, 3).
- 5 A feature of the sea obtainable by taking a card from the top.

- 6 If you don't trust your doctor, get another one.
- 7 No bye (anagram).
- 9 A don is her companion.
- 13 Supporter of bail.
- 14 Lively, but most of it is a real danger.
- 17 European capital.
- 19 The head of this Spaniard is concealed: go for the end!
- 20 Part of the river that is both one and the other headless.
- 21 A vulgar duffer who absorbs gin in unusual receptacles.
- 22 Firm.
- 23 Unnecessary order to the nudist.
- 26 In the South Seas.
- 27 Where 31 Across lies.

### Yesterday's Solution.

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UNUSUALNESS  
LUNISLOPOGAAS  
TINISLOPOGAAS  
ADACCENTS  
NEEDLES SURGES  
SHELAPPTUT  
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EXIGENTHEBREWS

## Poultry for Profit

EVERY poultry keeper knows only too well how much it costs to rear chicks to maturity. yet so many waste good money on the feeding of pullets which, for one reason or another, can never develop into profitable layers. Culling, the weeding out of all unpromising birds, is sometimes a depressing business, but it must be faced.

First, however, pullets should be sorted out from cockerels, as soon as possible after they are five weeks old. There is no difficulty in this, though many readers have written to me lately to ask what are the distinguishing characteristics.

In the light breeds, of course, cockerels can be picked out merely by their larger, redder combs. In the heavy breeds pullets can be detected by their shorter, thinner legs; longer, more boat-shaped bodies and longer tails. They are, indeed, altogether more advanced in feathering.

At eight weeks these signs are even more obvious, the pullets' tails then being about 1½ inches in length. And at ten weeks it needs only a practised eye to tell which are which, comparing the neatness of the pullets, their smaller build and quicker movements, with the ungainliness of the cockerels. The latter will be taller, but slower in action and clumsier. At this age their combs and wattles will be bigger and deeper in colour.

The first chicks to be banished from the pen, if they have not been banished already, are any that are deformed. Blindness is quite a common disability: and many chicks suffer from stiffness of the legs or withered feet, or have a dropped, useless wing. Malformed beaks occur frequently, too. When the mandibles are actually crossed the chick cannot take all the food it needs for satisfactory growth, and consequently will never thrive.

Apart from deformities, several unmistakable signs typify chicks, even

as young as five weeks, that are not worth keeping. Any which in comparison with the rest of the flock are undersized must be regarded with suspicion. If they are well-feathered, are quick and active and have keen appetites, there may be little to worry about, but when the head-plumage is starting, the eyes are dull and cloudy, and when beaks are abnormally long and curved, then the birds must be culled. Any which have wings longer than bodies, and are painfully thin, should also go.

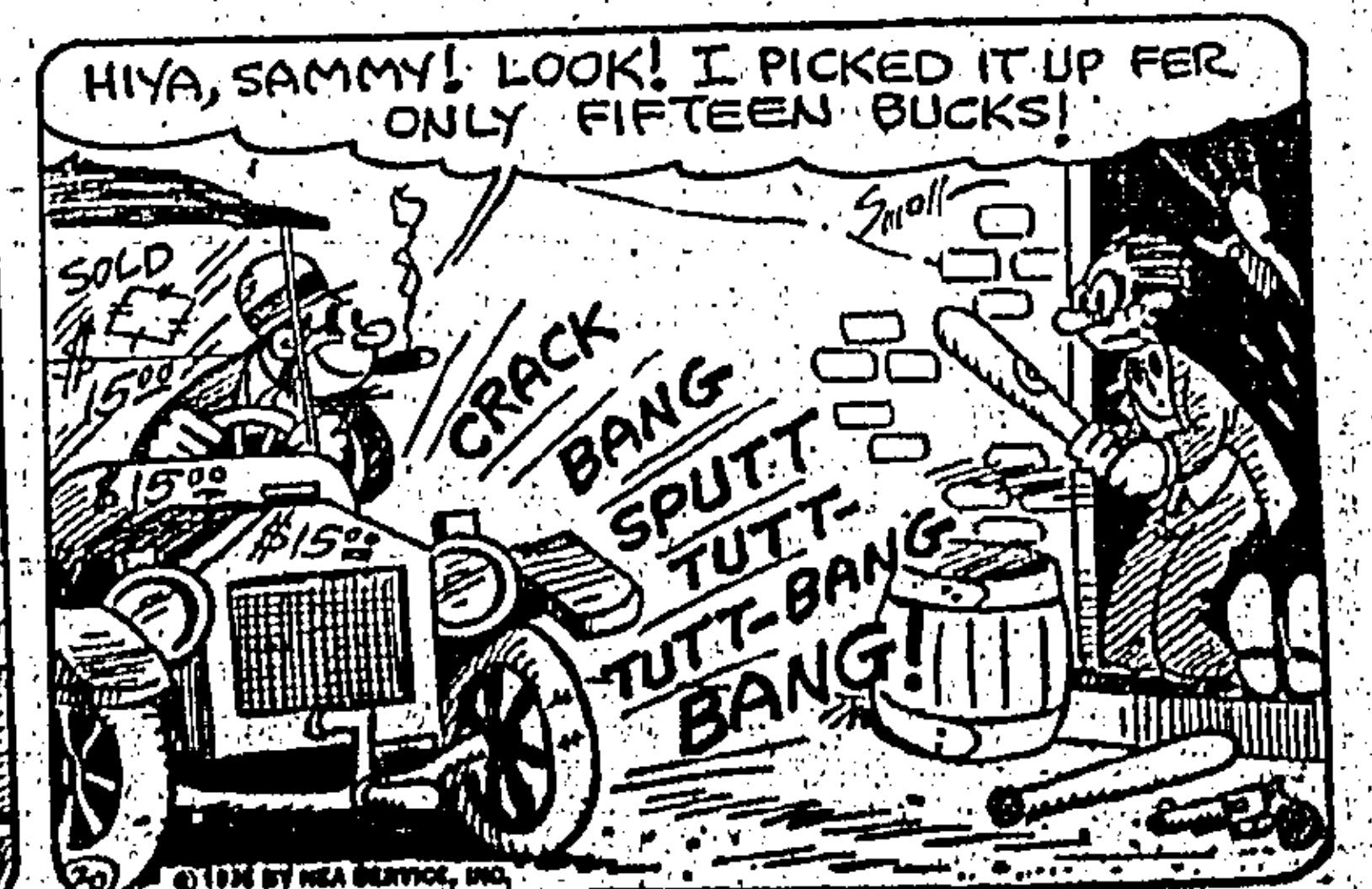
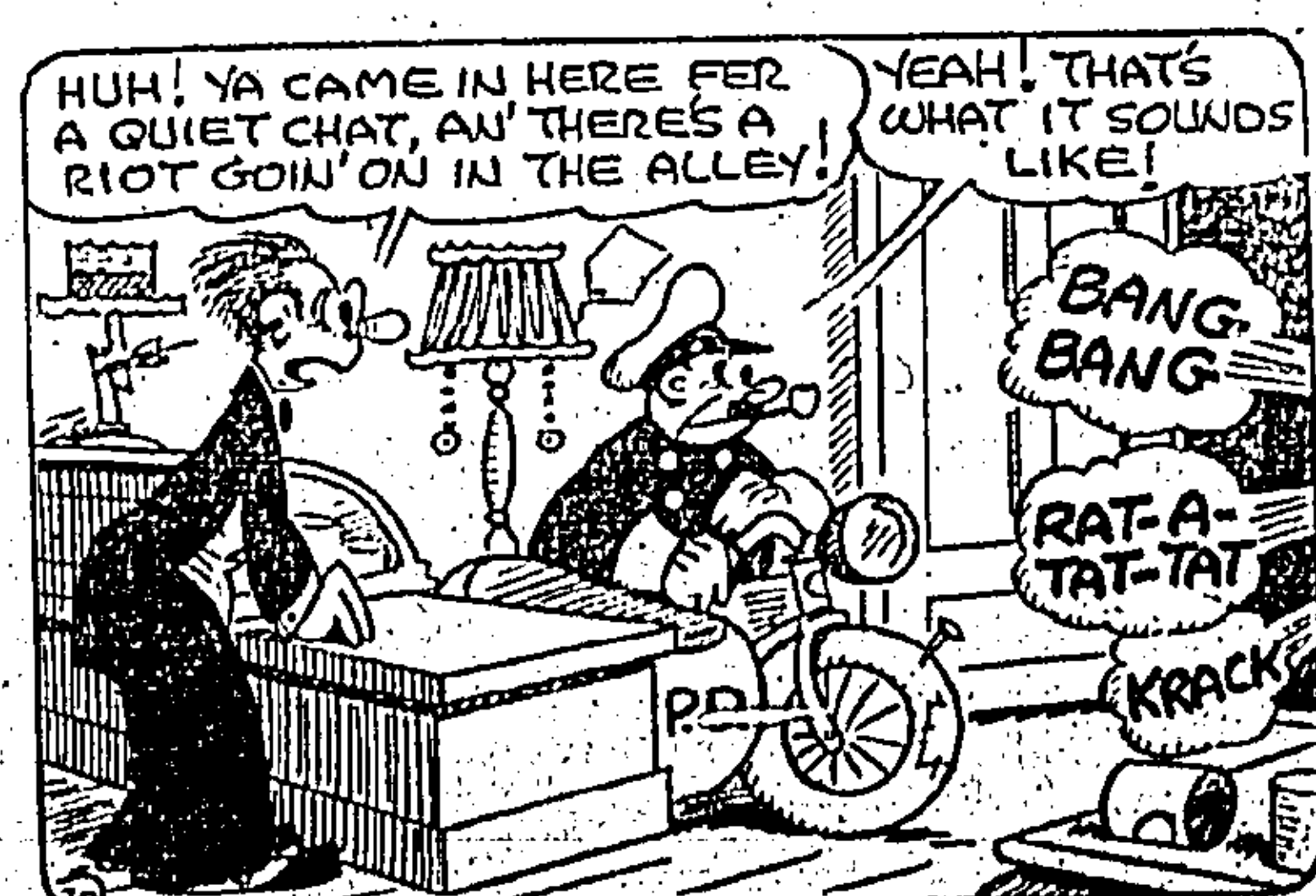
MOREOVER, pullet chicks which are slow in feathering seldom turn out to be good layers, even if otherwise healthy. Particularly does this apply if the plumage develops unevenly, so that there are bare patches on the back or along the sides. Such a condition often goes with excessively fine bone, when legs are like match-sticks—an equally bad sign.

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### PROFESSOR IS SHOCKED

THE world of to-day is bad-mannered, morally lax and in art irrational, according to Professor F. J. C. Hearnshaw, Professor of History at London University.

He told the conference of the Royal Empire Society at Bristol:

"There has been a certain relaxation of moral standards—although I think there is a tendency now to return to sanity in that matter—and with that relaxation a certain worsening of manners."

"I cannot conceive anyone in the year 1910 calling his father an 'old bean'."

STRAVINSKY AND EPSTEIN

"Another feature of this moral and spiritual bewilderment is the development of the cult of the irrational. Bax and Stravinsky have gone too far. They are definitely and positively ugly, and Epstein and some of the surrealists are definitely obscene."

Another feature of the post-war world, he said, was the passion for planning, which tended to reduce human liberty to a minimum.

"One hopeful thing was the establishment of the League of Nations," which would have been effective if America had not deserted it. I regard that desertion of America as one of the greatest betrayals of civilization."

Speaking of the decline of the dominance of the Victorian middle-classes,

Professor Hearnshaw said:

"I used to think that the middle-class began at one end with the House of Lords and ended at the other with people who could just keep out of the workhouse."

"But nowadays that is too wide. Many of the peers are going to the workhouse and many inhabitants of the workhouse are receiving peerages."

## IT'S HARVEST TIME IN EUROPE



At harvest time when the sheaves must be bound and gathered a woman's help is very welcome in many places. This harvest girl is doing the job with a smile.

## 'LIFE OF THE PARTY' TAKES HIS LAST BOW

Chicago, Sept. 3.

ERIC LYE, commercial artist from London, was always the life and soul of the party.

At a party in the third-floor apartment of Mrs. Cynthia Weimer, thirty-five-year-old divorcee, here last night, several rounds of drinks had been served and one of the guests had balanced a full glass on his forehead.

"I can do better than that," said Lye, and claimed he was an expert tight-rope walker. Unable to find a rope decided to use a railing on the balcony.

He shuffled several steps, then said, "Friends, I bow to you." So far the guests had applauded. Now they cried out with horror as they saw Lye bend, lose his balance, and fall to the cement area 50 feet below.

Eric Lye, life and soul of the party, was dead.

## SECRETS OF WOMAN WHO MADE LOVELY STARS

HERE is something new in slimming courses—nothing faddy, nothing expensive—a month's course prescribed by Madame Sylvia, famous beauty expert to the film stars, herself a slim, healthy, beautiful woman—who weighs seven stone.

By MADAME SYLVIA

I'M going to show you how you can have a good figure and be choiciful of health.

Try to eat as regularly and as intelligently as possible. Avoid stuff on a stick or in a bottle, fantastic sandwiches.

Instead eat a raw apple or some berries or other fresh fruit if you're hungry in the afternoon. Drink fresh orange juice.

Take your liquids between meals, unless, of course, you're doing one liquid meal a day. (That's a good idea occasionally.) Two glasses of water a day are plenty.

Here is a general reducing menu that'll take off those extra pounds and keep you healthy.

For breakfast the juice of half a lemon in a glass of water. A dish of fresh berries (very little sugar and no cream). Two slices of whole-wheat toast, thinly buttered, and a cup of coffee—clear.

In the middle of the morning a glass of orange juice or tomato juice.

For lunch a large portion of fresh green salad. No dressing.

With this you can have a couple of rye wafers and a little cream cheese. Cup custard for dessert or any fresh fruit except bananas. Small glass of iced tea with lemon.

For dinner start off with plenty of celery. Eat the leaves, too. If you can eat spring onions without discomfort to others, have a few.

### Meat Not Barred

Jellied soup is very refreshing. A quarter of a head of lettuce, endive, or watercress, and tomato salad.

In summer you don't need so much meat, but you can have any kind except pork.

Cook your vegetables until just tender and in as little water as possible.

No thick gravies or rich sauces. For dessert you can have half a grapefruit, fruit jelly or fresh berries, iced tea or coffee; hot if you prefer.

You can take plenty of exercise this summer, but be sure it's the right kind.

Swimming, tennis, golf, and such are excellent sports. Guard for your general health and circulation, but don't overdo it.

A good brisk walk, or better still, a quick sprint will do wonders for you.

### Lose Those Hips

But if you really want to get rid of those heavy hips, do this. Stand with feet apart, toes slightly turned in. Raise arms above the head. Stretch as if you're trying to touch something just a little beyond your reach.

Now bend the body slowly to the left, keeping the knees stiff. As you continue to bend down, twist the upper body from the waistline.

Keep the lower body facing forward and do not move the position of the feet. Repeat on the right side.

Do this exercise at least five times on each side every morning when you get up.

And make it your business to get in plenty of dancing every day.

If you'll dust the cobwebs off the old will power and do these few simple things, I'll guarantee you a new figure and new health—by October. Now it's up to you.

## CHIMPANZEE PUT NEAREST TO MAN

Chicago, Sept. 3.

Man and the African chimpanzee had a common ancestor either an ape-man or an anthropoid, according to the theory of H. J. Weimer, German anthropologist, as explained by the Journal of the American Medical Association.

Weimer's "anthropothesis theory," the Journal reported, holds that the chimpanzee has characteristics which place him nearer to man than to other anthropoid apes.

Weimer was quoted as summarizing his theory this way:

"There remains extant to-day an animal species that possesses several inherited characters in common, not with other animals but with our own human kind. This species is the African chimpanzee."

It is not saying that we are descended from chimpanzee but it does mean that there once was an ape-man species the descendants of which still exist to-day in the chimpanzee and in man, while other existing species of anthropoid apes become differentiated from his immediate type at an earlier date and hence fail to exhibit to-day the chimpanzee-human characters."

Whether this root was one of anthropoid apes or a race of ape-men has not been determined, the correspondent explained.

The chimpanzee, gorilla and orang-utan all figure prominently in evolution theories, it was explained. Of these three, recent investigations place the orang-utan closest to the lower apes.

The chimpanzee and gorilla were put with man as a class of sumatran primates, the most highly developed primates. In this group the chimpanzee passed the gorilla in evidence of human kinship.

## Shirley Temple Doesn't Take A Bow

Hollywood, Sept. 3.

SHIRLEY TEMPLE has lost the National box office championship to Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers, according to the latest movie trade checkup.

The conclusion was reached by the *Hollywood Reporter*, trade paper, on the basis of questionnaires returned by 1,192 exhibitors throughout the country.

A similar survey made by the Quigley (trade) publication a year ago placed Will Rogers at the top of the money-making heap, but with the passing of the sage of Oklahoma, little Shirley, in second place, was hailed as queen.

The Astaire-Rogers team rated no better than fourth last year, but Clark Gable held third place in both checks. Ten top stars according to the 1936 survey were Astaire and Rogers, Temple, Gable, Norma Shearer, Claudette Colbert, Robert Taylor, Jean Cagney, Joan Crawford, Dick Powell and Myrna Loy.

Top fighters in 1935 were Rogers, Temple, Gable, Astaire and Rogers, Crawford, Colbert, Dick Powell, Wallace Beery, Joe E. Brown and James Cagney.

Newcomers in the charmed circle are Taylor, a find of the year, Shearer and Deery, replacing Rogers, Brown and Deery. Addition of Shearer was no surprise, but the rise of Loy is harder to explain, since she was costarred in most of her pictures during the 12 months.

Other rankings were—11. W. C. Fields; 12. Mae West; 13. Irene Dunne; 14. Nelson Eddy and Jeanette MacDonald; 15. Charles Chaplin; 16. Gary Cooper; 17. Carole Lombard; 18. Edward G. Robinson; 19. Paul Muni; 20. Janet Gaynor.

And still others, in the order following: Marx Bros.; Eddie Cantor; Marlene Dietrich; Kay Francis; Harold Lloyd; William Powell; Belle Davis; Warner Baxter; Joe E. Brown; Jean Harlow; Bing Crosby; Fred MacMurray; Franchot Tone; Barbara Stanwyck; Ronald Colman; Al Jolson; Ginger Rogers, (alone); Merle Oberon; Sylvia Sydney; Cary Grant; Joan Blondell; Leslie Howard; Katharine Hepburn; Geo. Arliss; Ruby Keeler; Robert Donat; Victor McLaglen; Loretta Young; Robert Montgomery and George Raft.—United Press.

## Hairbrush Recommended For Wives

Hackensack, N.J., Sept. 3.—James B. Miller lost his divorce action because he failed to hit his wife. Rejecting Miller's plea that his wife had been "cruel" to him, Advisory Master in Chancery, N. J., Demarest Campbell said: "If you were a sensible-minded man, you should have taken your wife over your knees and administered the hairbrush. A man can still be a gentleman and hit his wife."—United Press.



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The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

### Banks

H. K. Banks, \$1,600 b.  
H. K. Banks (Lon. Reg.), \$1,022½ n.  
Chartered Bank, \$15½ n.  
Mercantile Bank, A. and B., \$31¼ n.  
Mercantile Bank, C., \$14¼ n.  
East Asia Bank, \$76 b.

### Insurance

Canton Ins., \$275 n.  
Union Ins., \$575 b.  
China Underwriters, \$1.00 n.  
China Fire, \$462 n.  
H. K. Fire, \$255 n.  
Internat'l Assoc., \$3¼ n.

### Shipping

Douglas, \$30 n.  
H. K. Steamboats, \$4 n.  
Indo-China (Prof.), \$30 n.  
Indo-China (Def.), \$20 n.  
Shell (Bearer), \$110/7½ n.  
Union Waterboats, \$12 n.

### Docks etc.

H. K. Wharves (old), \$108 b.  
H. K. & W. Docks, \$13½ b.  
Providents (old), \$2.05 n.  
Providents (new), 20 cts. n.  
Hongkew (old), \$185 n.  
New Engineering, \$4 n.  
Shanghai Docks, \$81½ n.

### Mining

Kailan, 10/- n.  
Langkats (Single), \$3½ n.  
S'hai Explorations, \$2 n.  
S'hai Loans, \$2 n.  
Rauks, \$1.60 b.  
Venz: Goldfield, \$4¼ b.  
Antamoka, \$5.65 b.  
Atoka, \$1.08 cts. n.  
Baguio Gold 58 cts. b.  
Badatoca, \$24 n.  
Benguet Consolidated, \$24 n.  
Benguet Exp., 48 cts. b.  
Big Wedges, 78½ cts. b. and sa.  
Consolidations, \$1.60 n.  
Cold Crocks, 55 cts. n.  
Gold River, 12 cts. n.  
Ipe Gold 38 cts. n.  
Kogona, \$3.68 sa.  
L. X. L., \$3.60/70 sa.  
Mambulao 84/90 cts. sa.  
Masbate, \$1.06 sa.  
Northern Mining, 55 cts. b.  
Paracale Gumaus, \$1.17/19 sa.  
Salacot, 19½ cts. n.  
San Mauricio, \$4.60 sa.  
Santa Rosa, 13 cts. sa.  
Suyoc Consols, \$1.34 sa.  
United Paracale, \$2.90 b.  
Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$5.85 sa.  
H. K. Lands, \$40 sa.  
H. K. Lands, 4% Deben, \$105 n.  
S'hai Lands, \$13 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, \$10 n.  
Hampshires, \$9½ n.  
H. K. Realities, \$5.00 n.  
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.  
China Debenures, \$3.60 n.  
Public Utilities

H. K. Tramways, \$12.40 b.  
Peak Trams, (old), \$6½ n.  
Peak Trams, (new), \$2¼ n.  
Star Ferries, \$9½ b.  
Yaumati Ferries, (old) \$21¼ b.  
China Lights, \$13.60 b.  
China Light, (new) \$10½ n.  
H. K. Electric, \$54½ b.  
Macao Electric, \$20 n.  
Sandakan Lights, \$8.30 n.  
Telephone (old), \$29 b.  
Telephone (new), \$9.75 b.  
China Buses, \$11¼ n.  
Singapore Traction, 29/- n.  
Singapore Prof 28/- n.

### Industrials

Malabon Sugars, \$9½ n.  
Cald: Macg. (old), \$19½ n.  
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$15 n.  
Canton Ice, \$2.20 b.  
Cement, \$11.40 b.  
H. K. Rope, \$4.10 n.  
Stores, &c.  
Dairy Farm, \$21½ n. ex diy.  
Watson, \$4.86 n.  
Lane Crawfords, 66½ n.

## CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

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The Steamship,

**"CHENONCEAUX"**  
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Arrived Hongkong on Saturday, 5th  
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Consignees are hereby informed  
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are being landed and stored into the  
Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon  
Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kow-  
loon, whence delivery may be ob-  
tained immediately after landing.  
All claims must be sent in to me  
on or before the 10th September,  
1936, or they will not be recognized.  
Damaged Packages will be ex-  
amined by the Company's Surveyor  
Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in the  
presence of the Consignees at 10.00  
a.m. on Friday, 11th September, 1936.  
Consignees must have a Revenue  
Officer in attendance when any duti-  
able goods are examined by the  
Company's Surveyors.

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R. OHL,  
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Hongkong, 5th September, 1936.

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and all Goods remaining undeliv-  
ered after the 19th September, 1936,  
will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer  
must be presented to the Undersign-  
ed on or before the 20th September,  
1936, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded  
Warehouse Regulations consignees  
must have a Revenue Officer in at-  
tendance when damaged dutiable  
goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged  
Goods are to be left in the Godowns,  
where they will be examined on the  
11th September, 1936, at 10 a.m., by  
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No Fire Insurance has been  
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Bills of Lading will be counter-  
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S. C. Enterprises, \$1.35 n.

Macno "Greyhounds," \$2 n.

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### PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS

of the Sale by Public Auction  
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day of September, 1936, at 3  
p.m., at the Offices of the Public  
Works Department, by Order of  
His Excellency the Governor of  
one Lot of Crown Land at Kau  
Lung Tsai in the Colony of  
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years, commencing from 1st  
July, 1898 with the option of  
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in cash. This sum will be re-  
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No. of Sale	Boundary	Locality	Measurements	Contents	Annual	Upst
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T.T. Japan	105
T.T. India	81¼
T.T. U.S.A.	31½
T.T. Manila	82½
T.T. Batavia	150½
T.T. Bangkok	403½
T.T. Saigon	77½
T.T. France	472
T.T. Germany	77½
T.T. Switzerland	95½
T.T. Australia	1/6¼
T.T. Lisbon	68½

### Buying

4 m/s. L/C London	1/13½
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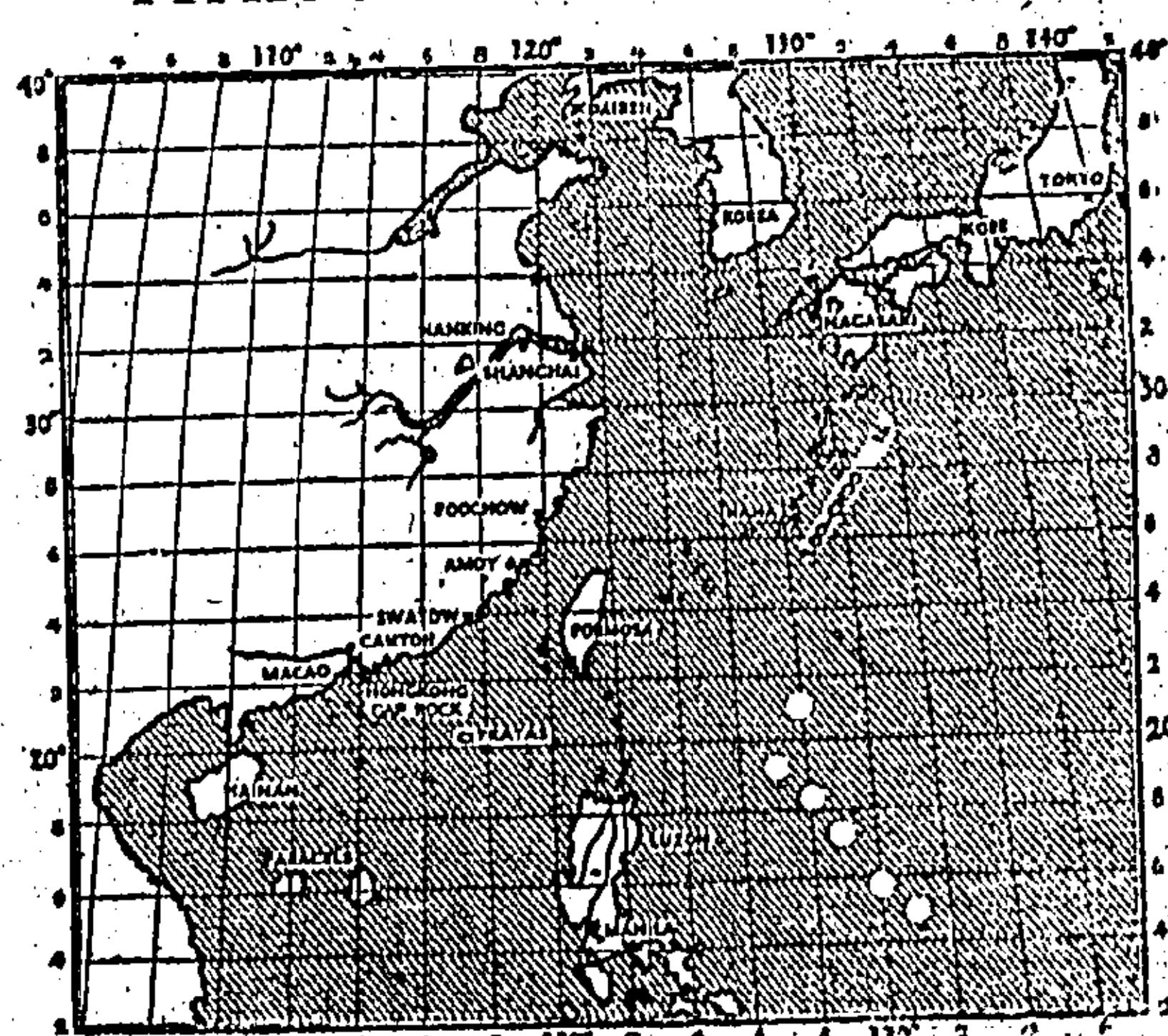
### INWARD MAILS

Japan	Shanghai	Anjo Maru	September 11.
Japan	Honolulu, Japan and Shang-	General Pershing	September 11.
U.S.A.	hai (San Francisco, 14th August)		
Shanghai		Pres. Van Buren	September 11.
Japan and Shanghai		Shantung	September 11.
Japan		Terukuni Maru	September 11.
Straits and Europe via Negapatam		Alipore	September 12.
(Letters and Papers) London date,			
13th August.		Katori Maru	September 12.
Japan and Shanghai		Talyo Maru	September 12.
Java and Manila		Tilsaroca	September 12.
Straits		Behar	September 13.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia		Burgeland	September 13.
(Letters and Papers) London date,		Szechuen	September 13.
London, 24th August.			
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang-		Pres. Taft	September 14.
hai (San Francisco, 21st August)		Manila Maru	September 15.
Japan		Santha	September 15.
Calcutta and Straits		Tilsandane	September 15.
Java			
Europe via Suez (Letters and			
Papers) London, 20th August, and			
London Parcels, London date,			
13th August.		Rawalpindi	September 16.

### OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Friday.	
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai-Hing	Fri., Sept. 11, 4 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	Fri., Sept. 11, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A.,	Pres. Jackson	Fri., Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
and Europe via Victoria B.C., and	Parcels	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
Europe via Siberia	Reg.	Sept. 11, 5.30 p.m.
(Due Victoria B.C., 30th Sept.)	Letters	Fri., Sept. 11.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Egypt and	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sept. 11, 3 p.m.
South Africa, Aden, Egypt and	Reg.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
Europe via Marseilles	Letters	Sept. 11, 6 p.m.
(Due Marseilles, 10th October)	Reg.	Fri., Sept. 11.
Letters for "Imperial Airways R.M.A.	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
direct Service"—due London	Letters	Sept. 11, 6 p.m.
21st September	Reg.	Sept. 11, 6 p.m.
Letters for Australia by "Imperial R.M.A. Dorado	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sept. 11, 5 p.m.
15th September	Letters	Sept. 11, 6 p.m.
	Saturday	
Straits, Sandakan and Calcutta	Shirala	Sat., Sept. 12.
Parcels	Letters	Sept. 12, 9 a.m.
Hollow, Pakhoi and Halphong	Kaying	Sat., Sept. 12, Noon.
Halphong	Canton	Sat., Sept. 12, 2 p.m.
Straits	Alipore	Sat., Sept. 12, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and Europe	via Katori Maru	Sat., Sept. 12, 3.30 p.m.
Siberia		
	Sunday	
Bangkok via Swatow	Klungu	Sun., Sept. 13, 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hongkong Maru	Sun., Sept. 13, 9 a.m.
	Monday	
Swatow and Amoy	Anshun	Mon., Sept. 14, 1.30 p.m.
	Tuesday	
Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjibadak	Tues., Sept. 15, 8.30 a.m.
Manila	Pres. Taft	Tues., Sept. 15, 4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Shantung	Tues., Sept. 15, 4.30 p.m.
	*Superscribed for correspondence only.	

## TYPHOON RECURVES TO N.E.



The Manila Observatory report at 9.30 a.m. to-day that the  
typhoon is situated in about Long. 122, Lat. 21, recurring north-  
eastwards. There is another typhoon in about Long. 140, Lat. 18,  
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LACK PASSPORTS

Charged with entering the Colony without a valid passport, Blashen Singh, aged 40, unemployed Indian, appeared before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning. Detective-Sergeant Loughlin, prosecuting, said defendant came to the Colony on the steamer "Aitan" without a passport. He was formerly in the police, but was dismissed in 1929 and went back to India. From there he went to Singapore and then to Amoy, from which port he took ship to the Colony. Sergeant Loughlin said he had been instructed to ask for imprisonment for defendant, as the Colonial Secretary's Office had complained of the number of Indians entering the Colony without passports, and the heavy expense entailed in repatriating them back to India. There was an agreement between the local Government and the Indian Government, said the police officer, by which the Indian Government would not grant a passport to any Indian coming to Hongkong unless the person was guaranteed employment in the Colony. If any Indian was allowed to enter the Colony without prospects of employment, the whole Colony would be over-run by them.

An Indian sergeant of the guards on the Haitian knew defendant had no passport and reported the matter to the police on arrival of the steamer. Defendant had no means of subsistence, and there was no prospect of him getting employment. The cost to the Government to repatriate defendant to India would be between \$85 and \$90. Defendant could not be sent to Singapore because Singapore would not accept any Indian travelling from Hongkong without a passport, but would admit Indians coming from India. The Magistrate sentenced defendant to 14 days' imprisonment and made an expulsion order against him.

## RUSSIAN EXPELLED

Victor Boutchkoff, aged 34, unemployed Russian, was also brought before the Court. Sergeant Loughlin said defendant was a known bad character, and had been sent away from the Colony before. Defendant had applied for permission to return, but this was refused. On his own admission, defendant told the police he had come from Canton, and on his arrival he went to the Benevolent Society. A Russian luncheon-restaurant of the Hongkong Police saw defendant there, and arrested him. Defendant was taken to the Central Police Station, where he insisted that he was a member of the police by the name of George White. He finally admitted his own name. Defendant had been here before, and should have known he was not allowed to return.

Defendant, who did not say anything, was sentenced to three weeks' hard labour and an expulsion order was made against him.

CROCKERY SHOP  
ROBBEDFOUR MEN SENT TO  
PRISON

Four unemployed men, Man Fook, 36, Li Shui, 37, Tam Sing, 34, and Pun Po, 26, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with having broken into No. 6 Tsui On Lane, ground floor, and stealing a quantity of crockery, valued at \$20, the property of Lo Kam-fai, manager of the Lo Wing Cheung crockery shop, Upper Lascar Row.

Another man, Wong Yeung-kau, 37, licensed hawker, was charged with receiving stolen property, but the charge was subsequently withdrawn, and he was discharged. Detective-Sergeant C. Downman said that, on information, he went to No. 2 Mun Wing Lane, first floor, an opium den, where he found four baskets containing the stolen crockery. The first four defendants were there, and said the crockery belonged to them. The fifth defendant then came up the stairs, and was detained. His premises were searched, and more crockery found there. There was no proof, however, against him of receiving stolen property. He was at one time a customer of the complainant, but during the past three months had not bought anything from complainant. It was possible that when he was arrested he was on his way to the den to buy more crockery.

The flat next to the complainant's godown had been vacant for quite a long while, but five days ago it had been occupied. The defendants broke through the kitchen door of this flat and entered the godown by lifting up the wooden bars. The flat was once again untenanted. Mr. Schofield sentenced the four defendants to three months' hard labour each.

## NEW APPOINTMENT

London, Sept. 10.  
Mr. E. J. Crutchley, Public Relations Officer in the General Post Office, who was formerly United Kingdom representative in the Commonwealth of Australia, has been seconded temporarily to act as additional Assistant Under Secretary of State in the Dominions Office—British Wireless.

## MONEY FOR CHINA COLLEGES

New York, Sept. 10.  
A meeting of forty representatives of the associated boards for Christian Colleges in China decided to raise \$1,200,000 during 1936, to be divided between eleven leading colleges in China.—United Press.

SOLIDLY SUPPORT  
LEAGUE

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Security being rightly based on the principle of universality, the Lithuanian Government thinks that the League of Nations should again invite all states now absent to become members. Being convinced that the essential task of the League of Nations is to safeguard the security of its members and the inviolability of their territories, and nothing also that the efficacy of the help afforded to a member attacked by a Covenant-breaking state will depend in most cases on the promptness with which it is rendered, the Lithuanian Government believes that it is necessary to lay down that the duration of the procedure previous to the actual coming into play of the safeguards of the Covenant shall be reduced to strict minimum. The Lithuanian Government thinks that the procedure for deciding that an aggression has been committed should be improved by making it speedy and by providing clear and quite unmistakable definitions and injunctions.

Lithuanian Government thinks that it is desirable to examine the possibility of enabling decisions to be taken more easily under Articles 10 and 16 of the Covenant by modifying the rule of unanimity.

In connection with the principle of the universality of the League the Lithuanian Government considers that the help to be given a member victim of an aggression should also be of a universal nature. Regional obligations should therefore merely supplement the general obligations arising under the Covenant, in order to make these general obligations more effective. The Lithuanian Government is of opinion that the universal assistance to be afforded to a victim of aggression, in the political, economic and financial fields, should not be limited to negative acts against the Covenant-breaking state. It should also be positive in the form of political, financial and economic assistance to be granted to the victim of aggression.

The Lithuanian Government desires in this connection to refer to the principles embodied in the Covenant of financial assistance to be afforded to the victim of aggression.

## DANISH VIEWPOINT

The questions involved were discussed at a meeting of the Foreign Ministers of the four Northern countries at Copenhagen on August 20, 1936, and the four ministers found themselves in agreement on all essential points, says a message from the Danish government.

"The Danish Government," says the Danish Foreign Minister, "considers that in the present situation it is neither necessary nor possible to amend the Covenant but it thinks that all efforts should be combined with the object of applying as satisfactorily as possible all the rules that the Covenant contains." "It would accordingly suggest a few ideas for discussion at the September assembly:

"1. Efforts to make the League universal; since it is, in our opinion, essential to the success of the League that it should be made more comprehensive than it is at present. We suggest that the assembly should ask the Council to enquire (perhaps through a special committee) into this.

"2. Inquiring into the possibility of opening negotiations with those states which hold aloof from the League with a view to bringing them into it, and the best moment for doing so, and also any measures that may make it easier for non-members states to join the League.

"3. To examine the possible forms in which countries that have not so far seen their way to join the League could co-operate in any measures that might be taken to prevent war, and in what ways they could take a more active part in the League's work in the economic, moral, technical and humanitarian spheres. Rules for the application of the provisions of the Covenant."

YOKOHAMA SPECIE  
BANK  
INTERIM DIVIDEND  
ANNOUNCED

The local branch of the Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., is in receipt of a telegram from the Head Office to the effect that, at the 113th half-yearly ordinary general meeting of the shareholders held at the Head Office of the bank at Yokohama, on the 10th instant, a net profit of Yen 17,100,651.83 was shown, including Yen 10,000,037.10 carried over from last account. It was resolved to make the following allocations:—  
To Reserve Fund...Y. 1,750,000.00  
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Y. 17,100,651.83

It is also advised that the President, Mr. Kenji Kodama, has retired and Mr. Toshikata Okubo, Vice-President, has been elected President and Mr. Yakeichi Saito has been nominated Vice-President.

## LONDON CONFERENCE

London, Sept. 11.  
After consultation with the French Government, Great Britain has suggested to Germany and Italy that October 19 is a suitable date for the conference of Locarno powers in London.—Reuter-Bulletin Service.

DEAF MUTE  
CHARGEDTO BE CARED FOR  
BY SOCIETY

Lam Chee-shiu, 10, unemployed, of 49 Argyle Street, appeared for the third time on remand before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of larceny of a silver anklet from a three-year-old boy on August 26.

Defendant, both deaf and dumb, was unable to give evidence in the case, in which he was accused of appropriating a married woman, Lo Ni, from behind, and of having carefully extracted the silver anklet that was on the ankle of her baby son, Sin Yim, whom she was carrying on her back.

The Principal of the China Mute Society appeared in Court and stated that he was willing to take defendant back into the keeping of the school, where he had been for several years and give him another chance.

His Worship discharged defendant and ordered that he be kept at the China Mute Society's premises at 94 Hak Po Street.

"MILLION-AIRS ON  
PARADE"BIG BOOKINGS FOR  
SUNDAY

When the curtain rises on the opening night of the musical revue "Million-Airs on Parade" no fewer than six hundred people will witness what promises to be one of the most spectacular musical entertainments staged by local amateur artistes. The concert, which is to be held at the Club de Recreio on Sunday, will be in the open air, as the number of tickets sold far exceed the seating capacity allowed inside the Club's Hall.

Those who have already bought tickets are requested to arrive early, as there is no reservation of seats. The door will be opened at 8.15 p.m. Sharp. Only a limited number of tickets will be sold at the door. Should the weather again prove unfavourable on Sunday, an announcement would be made over the air from ZBW at 1.30 p.m. postponing the performance.

LORRY DRIVER  
FINEDCOLLISION JUST  
AVERTED

Mr. G. H. Wilson, director of Robertson, Wilson & Co., was complainant in a summons against Tsang Chi-chuen, driver of lorry No. 2788, before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for driving without due care and caution at Pokfulam Road on September 2.

Mr. Wilson stated he was driving along Pokfulam Road towards Aberdeen. Near the filter beds he saw a bus coming towards him, followed by a lorry. The lorry overtook the bus and in doing so the driver went over to the wrong side, and finally his car and the lorry stopped about four feet away from each other. It was almost a head-on collision.

A representative appeared in Court for defendant, and admitted the summons, a fine of \$25 being imposed.

CASTLE PEAK  
ROADTRAFFIC STILL  
BLOCKED

There is still complete blockage of traffic at a point near the 18½ mile stone along the Castle Peak Road and it is more than likely that passage past this point will be impossible over the week-end, as there is still a large quantity of rock and earth to be removed. The block was caused by a heavy landslide during the last torrential rains when roads were blocked at several points round the New Territories. All have now been cleared, however, with the exception of the fall at Castle Peak Road.

U.S. COMMODITY  
PRICESLATEST CABLED  
QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter.

New York Cotton  
October... 12.10/11 12.10/12  
December... 12.11/13 12.14/15  
January... 12.08/08 12.08/08  
March... 12.05/06 11.09/09  
May... 12.03/03 11.08/12.00  
July... 12.00/00 11.01/01  
Spot... 12.50 12.50

New York Rubber  
September... 16.17n 16.19n  
October... 16.21/21 16.23n/24n  
December... 16.32/32 16.33/34  
January... 16.34 16.36n  
March... 16.43/43 16.44/44  
May... 16.50b 16.50b/53n  
July... 16.58n 16.58n

Total sales—440 tons.  
Chicago Wheat  
September 111½/111½ 111½/111½  
December 110½/110½ 110½/110½  
May 109/109½ 109½/109½  
Wednesday's sales: 16,357,000 bushels.  
Chicago Corn  
September 110½/110½ 111½/111½  
December 104½/104½ 104½/104½  
May 100½/100½ 100½/100½  
Winnipeg Wheat  
October 90/90 90½/90½  
December 97½/97½ 98½/98½  
May 99½/99½ 100½/100½

INSURGENTS  
HARASSED

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discretion to close their offices and flee the country if they consider that step necessary.—Reuter.

## Hull Explains

Washington, Sept. 10.  
Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, explained the decision for the withdrawal of American warships from Spanish waters to-day as due to the fear of a possible repetition of the Kane incident, in which a Spanish plane bombed the American destroyer and the ship fired at the plane. Moreover, he said, Americans desiring to evacuate the country had been transferred.

The closing of the Madrid Embassy and withdrawal of diplomatic representatives in Spain were not contemplated. Any future precautionary action would be at the discretion of diplomats on the spot.

Meanwhile, Major Ramon Franco has announced that he is resigning his position in the Spanish Embassy here and will proceed to Spain to join his brothers in the rebel forces as soon as he sells his personal possessions to pay for his transportation.

He revealed he had received no salary since June.

His departure will leave only three minor Embassy attaches in Washington.—United Press.

## Cruisers Leave

Tangier, Sept. 11.  
The German cruiser Nürnberg and the Portuguese destroyer Tejo left here to-day, it is presumed for Portugal.—Reuter Special.

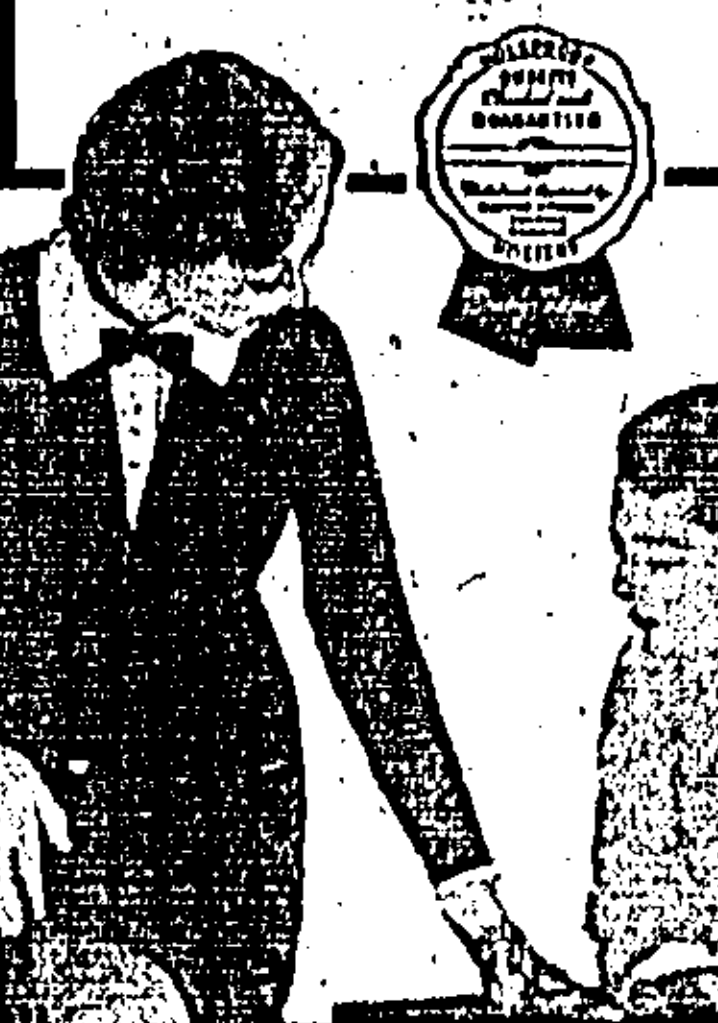
## Seeks Provisions

Dakar, Sept. 11.  
The Spanish cruiser Mendez Nunez arrived from Fernando Island to-day and asked permission to take on provisions.—Reuter Special.

## FAIR WEATHER

A ridge of moderately high pressure extends from Mongolia, across Japan to the Pacific, and a trough of relatively low pressure covers the China Sea, the Philippines, and the Pacific to the eastward. Local forecast: Light variable winds, freshening from N.E., fair generally.

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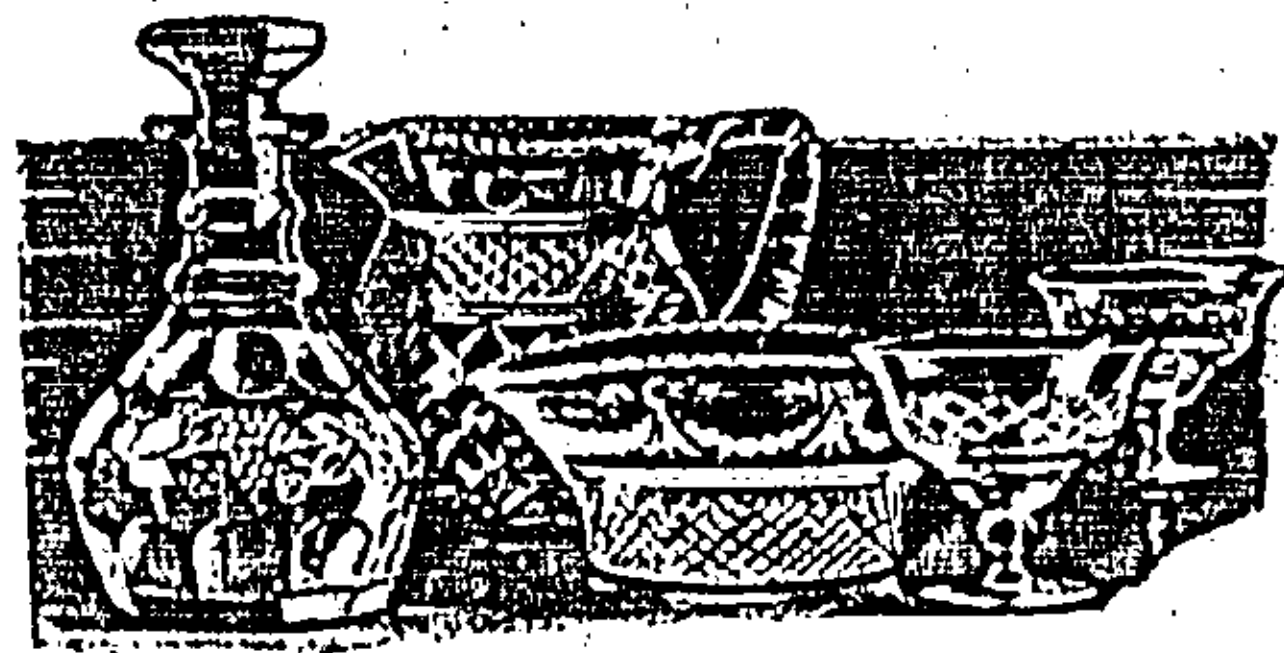
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## The Hongkong Telegraph

FRIDAY, SEPT. 11, 1936.

### CIVIL SERVICE STAFFING

The article from the pen of the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, dealing with the staffing of the Government clerical service, which appeared in our issue of Wednesday, should serve as a wholesome corrective and help to dispel many erroneous ideas concerning the employment by the Government of locally-recruited servants. Let it be stressed, first and foremost, that the policy which the Government is now putting gradually into effect is not based on racial considerations—it rests solely on economic grounds, and is made necessary in order to cut down the cost of government to a level which the Colony can afford. Even before the decline in the sterling rate of the dollar—which has tremendously added to administrative costs—it was yearly becoming apparent that the Government was spending far too much on emoluments. The low dollar, coupled with decreased revenue, has made retrenchment absolutely imperative. In other words, we have to cut our garment according to the cloth available. Governor after Governor coming here from other Colonies have been surprised, even astounded, at the strength of the sterling-paid personnel of the service and at the relatively few openings for local men in Government positions. An analysis of various branches of the service shows innumerable instances in which duties which could well be performed by local men have been reserved exclusively for Britons recruited from Home, to say nothing of many other cases in which locally-engaged Britons have been placed on sterling pay. Not only are salaries affected by many of these appointments, but there are other additional commitments in the form of passages, long leave for officers and families, pensions, and other benefits which all add to the bill. If we turn to another aspect of the question, we find that the Colony has been spending big sums annually on education, but offering little inducement for the products of our schools to enter the Government service. The number of posts hitherto available, and the standard of pay, suffice to explain the failure of the Government to attract to its service young men of a type eminently suitable for employ-

ment therein. There are thus two facets of the problem—the necessity for cutting down expenditure, and the duty which the Colony owes to those who make their homes here and many of whom, whatever their race, are British subjects. The policy now being followed is therefore fully justified; it is, in fact, inevitable.

THE average height of the buildings in New York is less than five storeys. Another staggering—to me, at least—fact is that not one human life was lost in a railway accident in the whole of the United States last year.

Isn't travel broadening? I have come home simply bursting with such important discoveries as those. And these:—

The coloured boys who dive for shillings in Havana harbour use a stroke that any professional swimming instructor would denounce as awkward and inefficient. It is more like a mud-turtle's wallow than the Weissmuller crawl. But the boys get the shillings all the same.

This year's Presidential election in the United States will cost that country more than four times the amount of our entire Civil List, including all provision for the Royal Family.

Seagulls are seen every day in mid-ocean, but they never roost on ships. Where they do sleep is one of the facts I was unable to pick up, although I asked many learned people.

I did, however, add to my collection the one about the man who thought they were pigeons. Somebody told him they were gulls, and he replied, "I don't care whether they are gull pigeons or boy pigeons; they are mighty fine pigeons."

LOS ANGELES, California, is the largest city on earth. Eighty miles long and forty miles wide.

You can stand on the rim of the Grand Canyon in Arizona and spit a mile.

Times are so hard that Missouri is using cardboard money, Colorado aluminium money, and New Mexico lead money. The coins, of one mil denomination (five to a farthing) are used mostly to pay sales taxes in shops, but children buy candy with them.

Now, that's what I call a party," said Wilbur Tweedle. "Couldn't that girl dance? Does a fellow good to have a night out with the boys once in a while?"

And then he remembered Hattie. A good spouse Hattie, but she didn't seem to understand a fellow has to jump a few hurdles now and again. The outline of a highly ingenious and somewhat involved story to account for his lateness was taking form in Wilbur's mind when he arrived home. His luck was holding. As he quietly opened the stout front door he heard the old grandfather clock back in the dining-room strike once. Taking off his shoes he noiselessly mounted the stairs, silently undressed, and slipped into bed beside his beloved, who was asleep.

Wilbur lay awake wondering what was the time. He didn't dare strike a light. The old clock downstairs struck once, again. Time dragged on and again the clock struck once. Wilbur was puzzled, but when after a like period of time he again heard the single note of the chime, Wilbur decided he "had 'em!" Finally he fell into a troubled sleep. The clock worked perfectly. Wilbur had heard it strike once four different times, and it sounded only the hours and half-hours, so perhaps you know what time he arrived home? What time was it when Wilbur Tweedle got home? Look at foot of Column Seven.

# It is not generally known that...

by H. W. SEAMAN

who has just returned from a trip across America

GENERALLY speaking, war. I knew another in Munich. There is one in Paris that dispenses champagne.

God gave the American Niagara Falls. They thank Him by throwing red, white, and blue floodlights at it.

"Pop-Eye the Sailor," has largely taken the place of Mickey Mouse in fickle popular affection, and Jack Bennie has ousted Amos 'n' Andy from top place in radio.

The best show in Hollywood is the Planetarium, where the stars in their course are projected on a black dome while a mellifluous lecturer talks of space and time. There are also planetaria in New York and Chicago, and Boston is going to have one. Germany has four, Britain none. Why?

Recommended all-American food, obtainable at any restaurant: Fried oysters, lobster Newburg, half-broiled chicken with sweet potatoes, strawberry shortcake. Alternative menu: Clam chowder, fried soft-shell crabs, planked steak with onions and French fried potatoes, apple pie a la mode.

view of the New York skyscrapers at nightfall, just before the lights in a million office windows were switched off. Now that the skyscrapers have spread uptown I suggest the Queensborough Bridge instead.

Britain has nearly twice as many motor-cars as America—per mile of road.

Fish-and-chip shops, unknown in America ten years ago, are plentiful to-day. But they have a long way to go before they displace all the hot-dog and hamburger sandwich stands.

Antediluvian tramcars still clatter along Broadway, even in Times-square, which is New York's Piccadilly-circus. The underground, which is called the Sub-way, is much dirtier.

New Yorkers always lead us Europeans to their Automat Restaurant, which has stood in Times-square for about twenty years, and expect us to goggle at the marvel. But there was an automatic, coin-in-the-slot restaurant in Cardiff before the

smellier, and noisier than London's, but faster, and, for long distances, much cheaper. Moreover, there is 'good service all night.

THE Fifth-avenue buses are of an antique pattern similar to "Old Bill" and the other London buses that served in the great war. New York taxis are cheap and some of the drivers are honest.

American navvies, lumberjacks, plumbers, motor-mechanics, street sweepers, and all outdoor labourers wear gloves.

A 20oz. loaf of ordinary bread costs 51/4d. anywhere in America. But milk is a little cheaper than in England.

There appear to be more Government buildings, and bigger ones, in Ottawa than in London, and more in Washington than in all the European capitals together.

YOU can get an excellent light supper at any Hollywood night club for five pounds.

Britain has the second largest port on the Atlantic coast: Montreal, which handles more traffic in seven months than Boston, Philadelphia, or Baltimore does in twelve. The population of Montreal is larger than that of Glasgow or Birmingham.

You may find it hard to believe that most of the New York streets are paved with cobblestones. New York, seen from the harbour, is magnificent, but Chicago, seen from the lake, is overwhelming. Chicago's grandeur, however, is mostly facade.

CALIFORNIA now produces more wine than France and Spain together. The local claret starts at 2s. a gallon. Whisky can be obtained anywhere in America for 4s. 6d. a quart. Our British tax on spirits is more than 8s. 6d. a bottle—which is iniquitous or good according to taste, point of view, and one's opinion on the use the politicians make of all the money we give them.

A FEW years ago I saw the Union Jack burned by a mob on Broadway. To-day that is unthinkable. Our stock is higher in America than it has ever been. Wherever I have gone Americans have spoken with admiration of British ways, British things, and British people.

But I like Americans too. I like their shirts. You don't have to put them on over your head.

And you can get a good cigar at a price you can afford to pay.

### BAFFLER

It was midnight when Wilbur got home. He heard the last stroke of twelve, clock sounding as he opened the door. The next stroke he heard was 12.30, the third one o'clock, and the fourth 1.30.

## BADAJOS—CITY OF SIEGES

BADAJOS—city of bloodshed—comes into the news again with the latest report received last night from the battle front in Spain. It has been the scene of fierce fighting between the Communist and Patriot Anti-Red forces.

Grim and forbidding under the shadow of its ancient and now crumbling fortifications, Badajoz seems as if it might have been built to be besieged.

DOWN through the centuries it has been the key town of the Portuguese frontier.

Its gaunt stone buildings, clustered on a hill top, can just be seen from the surrounding countryside as they peep above the towering old fortress walls—the battlements that withstood the onslaught of armies.

Since the eleventh century, when it became the capital of a small Moorish kingdom, tens of thousands of soldiers have been slain at its gates.

They have come, these warriors of many lands—vast numbers of them from Britain—to storm this strategic city.

For a while, in 1168, the Portuguese took control; then it regained its independence, which it kept until its capture in 1229 by Alfonso IX of Leon—years of struggle between Moors and Christians.

Siege after siege was launched against its stout walls—a determined attack being made by the Portuguese in 1600. Then came the onslaughts of the Allies in the War of the Spanish Succession in 1705.

In 1811, through the surrender of the Spanish Governor, José Imaz, Marshal Soult gained possession of the coveted city.

There followed the heaviest fighting of the whole Peninsular War. Three battalions of the Allies trooped under Beresford were annihilated in one terrific drive by French cavalry.

The French paid heavily, however, and eventually Marshal Soult, 16,000 killed and wounded on the field, was forced to retreat.

It was in March 1812 that Wellington, in his famous attack, after ten days' march, he reached the gates of the city.

He fought against time, for he feared that if he took long over the siege it would give opportunity to the two Marshals, Soult and Marmont, to unite in a relief attempt.

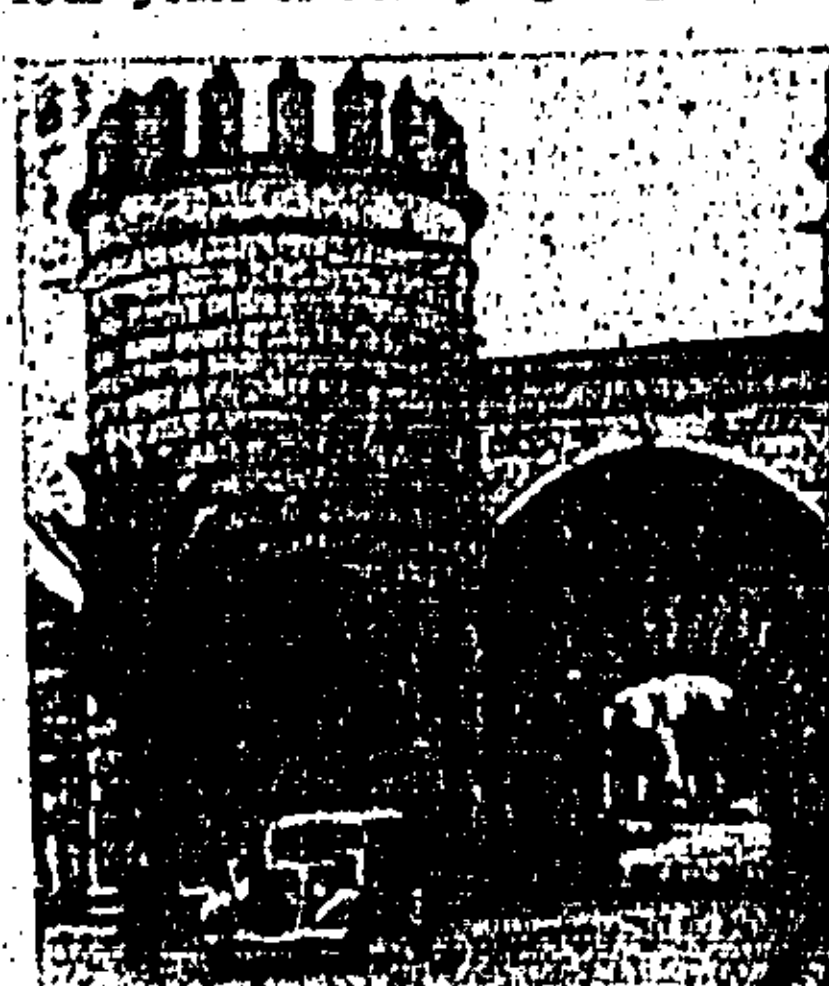
With his plans and preparation unfinished he ordered the storming of the defences after only 20 days.

It was a bold move and the loss was terrific. Time after time, men surged up to the battlements only to be driven back by a merciless barrage. The heights of Badajoz seemed well-nigh impregnable behind the massive fortifications.

The main assault on the breach failed, and it was not until two divisions gained entrance by escalade that the French were forced to surrender.

Five thousand men were killed wounded, but the battle proved one of the turning points of the war, and only a few months later Wellington entered Madrid in triumph.

Again Madrid is the objective. With so the winning armies in Spain one of the wars in the Peninsula. Badajoz—Europe's most beleaguered city—comes once more into the news.



The Gates of Badajoz on the road out to the Portuguese Frontier.

Marshal Soult in command of the French was handicapped by the heavy toll taken of his forces by starvation.

Wellington held his hand while hunger depleted the ranks of the enemy.



# TWO SHY WOMEN OF A FAMOUS HOUSE

The Girl Who Is Her Royal Mother's Best Companion

Sees War Peril



John W. Troy, governor of the Territory of Alaska, pictured leaving the White House in Washington where he discussed Alaska coast defenses. He said Alaska would be the "theatre of the next war."

## New Film War Brews In Hollywood

Hollywood, Aug. 30. A new threat to talent lists of major studios, already battling for services of a dwindling supply of box office names, is seen in the rise of Grand National Pictures, an ambitious organization just four months old.

Grand National, a producing and distributing company incorporated in Delaware last April, has just announced an \$8,000,000 fifty-picture programme for the coming year. Inevitably it will require stars, and just as inevitably must join the talent war.

**CAGNEY SIGNED**  
The new firm raised Hollywood's eyebrows recently when it signed Jimmy Cagney, released from his Warner Bros. contract by court mandate, and announced it would spend \$500,000 on his first picture.

Subsequently it revealed the alliance of an impressive list of semi-independent producers, including Douglas MacLean, Boris Petroff, formerly of Paramount, B. F. Zeidler, once of Universal, and George Hillman.

One possible source of stars was revealed in an announcement of Britman's first picture. It will present Reginald Denny, a great name of a few years ago, in "We're in the Legion Now."

A picture already finished to be released by G-N, is "Yellow Cargo," starring Conrad Nagel, also a former topflight star.

**RUSH OF STARS**  
The possibility is strong that a rush to sign former ranking players regarded as "through" in recent years, may follow.

Edward L. Alperson, former sales manager for Warner Bros. and head of G-N, says his firm has arranged for distribution in 35 cities, with further deals pending. The company is reportedly backed by Eastern bankers.

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## Tenfold Fewer Divorces

EFFECT OF NEW RUSSIAN LAW

Moscow, Aug. 20. As a result of the new Divorce Law adopted in the Soviet Union last month, the number of divorces applied for has fallen tenfold. During the first three weeks of July only 215 divorces were recorded in Moscow as compared with 2,214 divorces during the first three weeks of June. The new law came into effect on June 26.

Both parties must now appear in court to ask for the divorce, whereas formerly it was sufficient for but one of the parties to appear and declare his or her wishes. A fee of 50 roubles is now charged for the first divorce, 100 for the second, and 150 for the third. The uniform fee formerly was half a rouble.—Exchange.

## SIMPLE LIFE WITH £300,000 A YEAR

THEY CYCLE, SKATE AND WALK TOGETHER

The Hague, Sept. 9.

**ANNOUNCEMENT** of the betrothal of Princess Juliana of Holland has drawn the eyes of Europe to one of the most remarkable royal families in the world.

Princess Juliana and her mother, Queen Wilhelmina, are at present holidaying together at Bad Wiessenburg, in Switzerland.

These two women, the last representatives of the historic House of Orange, are inseparable companions. They are among the richest women in Europe, yet their style of living is one of simplicity compared with their wealth.

Queen Wilhelmina has a private income of £135,000 a year, and her income from the Government is £160,000. Princess Juliana's income is £27,100 a year.

Here is a picture of some aspects of their life together.

### Their Palace

Is Just A House

Their "palace" at The Hague is an old-fashioned, yellow-feng building in the Noorderhede, a narrow street widening into a square.

When they go out they have to pass the houses of their neighbours—a tobacconist, a vacuum cleaner maker, a banker, and a jeweller.

The royal car is a 1931 Cadillac. It is not used every day.

The democratic Dutch ride mostly on bicycles and the Queen and Princess Juliana ride with them.

It is no unusual sight to see the Queen and her daughter pedalling along a street or walking to church.

Queen Wilhelmina suffers acutely from neuralgia, which is apparently affecting her limbs.

### A Boy Who Longed To Parachute

PRAGUE, Sept. 5.

A boy on holiday at Prerov saw an exhibition by parachutists and longed to make such jumps. He dreamt of it at night and woke up in a flower bed under his bedroom window.—Exchange.

Because of this and to safeguard her as much as possible from draughts and cold winds, a wooden tunnel has been built from the palace to the roadway.

The Queen and the princess are expert skaters. They skate in winter on a mound behind the palace, accompanied only by a male aide-de-camp.

Queen Wilhelmina disapproves of public sports on Sundays, and only stirs outside the palace on Sunday to attend church. She hardly ever goes to a theatre.

She maintains a very small Court. During the past three years there have been virtually no social functions at Court.

She possesses magnificent pearls, estimated to have cost nearly £155,000.

She has an extensive knowledge of mathematics and economics.

Her paintings have attracted more than ordinary attention at many exhibitions.

## Defender Of New Deal

PRES. ROOSEVELT CAMPAIGNING

Charlotte, N.C., Sept. 10. Picturing the New Deal as an integration of policies designed to aid both the farm and the city, President Franklin Roosevelt to-day told the "Green Pastures Rally" that the South faces a choice between continued agricultural control or a revision to the "days of every man for himself and the devil take the hindmost."

He developed further on the theme which has marked his addresses in the drought areas—the prosperity of the city and the farm are intimately associated, and neither of them can be achieved without the other.

The President spoke favourably of the ill-fated National Recovery Administration. He declared that the Administration's aims were to bring about the inclusion of the liberties of either the States or individuals. He voiced the hope that history will record the New Deal period as an "era of rebuilding."

The President drew attention to the rise in prices of cotton, tobacco and other commodities. He said, with further deals pending. The company is reportedly backed by Eastern bankers.

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## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

**RELIGION TO A TRUE BELIEVER IS LIKE WATER TO A FISH; IT IS HIS ELEMENT, HE LIVES IN IT, AND HE COULD NOT LIVE OUT OF IT.**—Isaiah Newton.

Mr. Justice J. J. Hayden, Acting Justice, and Mrs. Hayden are leaving to-morrow for a month's holiday in Japan, by the Blue Funnel liner Sarpidon.

During August, the New Territories Medical Benevolent Branch of the St. John Ambulance Association treated a total of 13,451 cases, 4,626 of these being new ones. Altogether, 2,769 cases were seen by doctors, and 479 were visited in their homes. It is recorded that extensive damage to the Tsinwan, Kowloon and Tuenmun clinic buildings was occasioned during the recent typhoons and rainstorms.

Pleading guilty to a charge of returning from banishment before the expiration of his period of 10 years imposed on July 9 this year, Wong Wal, aged 27, unemployed, was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning. Another man, Yuen Hung, unemployed, who was banished for 10 years on March 12 this year, was given a term of nine months' hard labour. Sub-Inspector H. G. Hallam prosecuted.

## "TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

To-morrow's Picture Features

Splendid reproductions of further entries in the Telegraph Amateur Photographic Competition will appear in to-morrow's issue of the Pictorial Supplement.

There will also be a number of groups—of the weddings of Mr. W. R. K. Cellings and Miss E. M. Robson, and of Mr. Lau Kwai-ling and Miss Fan Yuk-chun; of the Royal Ulster Rifles buglers; and another taken at the christening of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Buckingham.

The Supplement will also contain the popular entertainment and feature pages, results of last week's Children's Competition, and details of a new contest for the kiddies.

a profit, that almost all the State and municipal and county governments are "out of the red."

Further he said that the prevailing rates of interest are the most reasonable in the history of the United States.—United Press.

## Broker Accused



Joseph Hopkins, 60-year-old broker, accused by several wealthy Los Angeles society women of swindling them out of \$200,000 in jewels. He was arrested after a nationwide search.

## America Now Has The Tallest Man!

Alton, Ill., Aug. 30.

**ROBERT WADLOW**, a shy, bespectled youth now 18 years old, has become, according to a consensus of available records—the tallest man in scientifically recorded history.

From a staunch base of size 30, shoes he now soars upward to a towering 8 feet 5 inches, a gain of one inch in six months. And despite the intense heat he has put on an additional 35 pounds, bringing his weight to 425.

Sitting in a huge, specially built peach chair, the back of which reaches upward nearly six feet, Robert explained that since his 10th birthday he has been steadily growing, both up and out. He reached that age Feb. 22 this year. At that time he was 8 feet 4 inches tall and weighed 300 pounds.

**A BIT BASHFUL**  
Robert talks in a rather high pitched voice. He is a bit bashful among strangers and is inclined to dislike publicity. He confesses that he doesn't like being "gawked at."

When the heat gets the best of him he likes to dive into a swimming hole and immerse his lengthy frame. His father, a keen, grey-eyed engineer, who is normal size, explained that Robert is quite an adept swimmer despite his ponderous bulk. Robert is less interested in being the tallest man in the world than he is in his ambition to become a lawyer. For several years he has been studying law at Shurtleff College in Alton, and expected to enter either Washington University or a college in Texas this fall.

**TO MANY GLANDS?**  
Robert's height is greater than any of the giants accepted as authentic in medical records. A treatise published in 1912 by Dr. Harvey Cushing, an authority on the subject, records measurements of other giants ranging from 7 feet 5½ inches to 8 feet 2½ inches. In "Brewster's 'giants of real life' an Irishman is mentioned who is claimed to have been a fraction more than 8 feet 4 inches tall. His name was Charles O'Brien, or Byrne. He lived from 1764 to 1883 and his skeleton has been preserved.

Robert's rapid growth is attributed to over activity of the pituitary gland. His parents have refused to allow an operation. The young giant has four smaller brothers and sisters, all normal size.

Doctors say Robert will continue to grow until he is about 22 to 23 years old. At his present rate of growth, which is nearly two inches a year, he may reach well over nine feet.—United Press.

## PRESIDENT HOOVER DEPARTS

DELAYED SIX DAYS BY STRIKERS

San Francisco, Sept. 10. The Dollar Company's liner, President Hoover, sailed at 2:45 p.m. (E.S.T.), six days late, following an agreement reached early this morning, providing for:

(1) Employers to agree to resume negotiations for a new contract with the Sailors' Pacific Union; and (2) The Union being pledged to supply a full crew for the President Hoover; and

(3) The Federal Government to conduct an immediate hearing into the case of Bremer, the Union delegate whose discharge led to trouble.—United Press.

## RADIO BROADCAST

Relay of B.B.C. Dance Orchestra

BOOK REVIEWS

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles): 4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7-11 p.m. European Programme. 7 p.m. An Operatic Programme.

Orchestra—The Mastersingers of Nürnberg—Overture (Wagner); Aria—Aida—O Patria Mia (Verdi)... Eva Turner (Soprano); Duet—Madame Butterfly—Child from whose eyes—Love Duet (Puccini)... Sheridan (Soprano) and Petilla (Tenor); Orchestra—The Valkyrie—Ride of the Valkyries (Wagner); Aria—Marta—Like a Dream (Flotow)... Enrico Caruso (Tenor); Orchestra—Samson and Delilah—Bacchanale (Saint-Saens).

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.33 p.m. A Relay from London. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.

7.50 p.m. From the Studio. "New Books, Worth Reading" by D.E.A.

8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and announcements. 8.03 p.m. The London Symphony Orchestra.

Suite in G (Bach, arr. Goossens); Love of the Three Oranges (Prokofiev); Triumphal March ("Caracacus") (Elgar, Op. 35).

8.30 p.m. Jack Buchanan in Old Film Hits.

1. Brewster's Millions; 2. The Flying Trapeze.

8.47 p.m. Harry Roy's Tiger Ragamuffins.

Quick-Step—Jazz me Blues; Fox-Trot—Cheerful Blues; Memories of you; Rain; Goodbye Blues; It Don't mean a thing; Happy Feet; Everybody loves my baby; I got rhythm.

9 p.m. News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m. Concert Items. Song—If my mother only knew (Nuttie)... Beniamino Gigli (Tenor); Violin Solo—Scherzo Taranella (Wientawski, Op. 16)... Terlan; Song—Lied der Mignon (Schubert); Mein Schermer (Soprano); Piano-forte Solo—Clair de Lune (Debussy).

John Hunt; Song—Addio bel Sogno... Beniamino Gigli (Tenor); Alto Saxophone Solo—Le Cygne (Saint-Saens)... Marcel Mule.

9.45 p.m. The Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra.

(Handel): Chanson Triste (Tschalkovsky, arr. Stewart); Plaque Dame—Overture (Suppe).

10 p.m. Big Ben from London. Variety and Dance Music.

Band—Holiday—Hills—Medley... London Piano Accordion Band; Humorous—A Spot of Fishing... Clapham and Dwyer; Fox-Trot—Sammy Saxophone... Scott Wood and his Six Swingers; Band—Minstrel Memories...

Grand Massed Bands; Rumba; You've got the wrong Rumba... Don Miguel and his Cuban Music; Song—Do you remember my first love Song—Gracie Fields; Orchestra—Tap Dancers' Nightmare... Jimmie Dorsey and his Orchestra; Instrumental—The King Steps Out—Medley...

The Keyboarders; Vocal—I'm Putting all my eggs in one basket... The Royal Sisters; Fox-Trot—Honolulu Stars and Hawaiian Guitars... Roy Smeek and his Hawaiian Sorenaders; Who Killed Cock Robin?... Walt Disney Silly Symphony... (From the actual Sound Film); Fox-Trot—Don't Ever-lo-be forgotten... Melody...

Gerald and his Orchestra; Violin Solo—Melody at Dusk... Albert Sandler; Fox-Trot—Is it true what they say about Dixie?... Jimmy Dorsey and his Orchestra; Song—One of the Little Orphans of the Storm... Gracie Fields; Xylophone Solo—Joey the Clown... Rudy Starlin; Waltz—Sympathy... Casani Club Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close Down.

## 21 YEARS AGO

Extracts From The "Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended September 18, 1915.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 9½/8d.

The death occurred at the Peak Hospital of Mr. W. Imhoof, of Messrs. T. E. Griffiths, Ltd., Canton, who was well-known in the Far East as an orator.

Members of the Volunteer Force were presented with cartridge pencil cases as a gift from H.R.H. Princess Mary.

The Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., declared an interim dividend of three per cent.

Mr. M. K. Lo was admitted a solicitor at the Supreme Court. In moving his admission, Mr. Eldon Potter said Mr. Lo had had a distinguished career in England and in his final examination was placed first in the First Class Honours List.

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# THE AUSTRALIAN PONIES ARE LOOKING WELL

Clubhouse Chatter

By "Veritas"

## Alec Pearce Produces Some Ennobling Off-Drives At The Nets

### GARTHWAITE HAS ALSO BEGUN TO GET HIS EYE IN

I'M treading on delicate ground, and probably R. Abbit's toes in writing this, but in the soul-searing search for material with which to fill this column, I happened yesterday on the Hongkong Cricket Club ground, there to find a dozen or more industrious cricketers at the nets opening up shoulder muscles and loosening finger joints, and forthwith I decided, despite R. Abbit's warning, to make some use of their efforts.

#### Happy Pearce

THREE nets were fully occupied for the better part of two hours, housing for intervals of ten to 15 minutes players such as T. A. Pearce, C. C. Garthwaite, Capt. Perse, H. Owen-Hughes, L. D. Kilbee, K. Nazarin, A. H. Madon, and A. W. Hayward, while at the other end we had F. D. Pereira, A. R. Minu, E. L. Gosano and W. H. Colledge, bowling down some good 'uns and finding the wicket extremely nice, thank you very much. From the batting viewpoint, Alec Pearce stood out head and shoulders. His in-the-middle-of-the-bat-strokes made it difficult for one to believe he had been out of cricket for five months. Minu had him puzzled with three balls; two hit his pads and the other Pearce played on to his wicket. For the rest—Pereira, Nazarin, Perse et al. were treated according to their lights. Pearce, whose in-front-of-the-wicket play is



T. A. Pearce

unsurpassed in Hongkong, was a delight to watch yesterday. Especially ennobling was his cover-driving, the beauty of which not even a stop-net could rob. On a pitch which was soft enough to respond to any sort of finger-work by the bowler, Pearce used his feet in splendid fashion, and there was snap and decision in practically all of his shots. Now and again a ball stole past him on the leg side, but it was the sort which he would normally elude to the boot. This rapid turn into the top batting form is highly encouraging.

#### Garthwaite Shapes Well

I was told that Garthwaite was not "seeing them" when he batted on Wednesday, but the same accusation could hardly be levelled against him yesterday. Garthwaite batted exceedingly well, especially as he was in the nets against Pereira, Minu, Gosano and Nazarin when they were fresh. He drove powerfully, coordinating feet, wrist and blade in a most effective manner. Once or twice Gosano, who was inclined to pitch a bit short and to come sharply across from leg slightly more than stump-high, had him jumping about, and Pereira sent down three grand balls, two of which swung away from him, leaving the off-stump which Garthwaite nibbled at but missed, and the third, a well pitched-up delivery, which went through quickly, levelled his off stump. But these moments were hardly blemishes in his batting, as they were all nasty balls, designed to, and capable of, beating any sort of batsman. The only flaw in Garthwaite's batting which I could detect was an inclination to hit too soon in his off-driving; in addition I felt that there were times when he might have got his left leg across a bit more. But chiefly it was a case of mis-timing, which more than once brought about the inevitable catch to mid-off. But seeing this was Garthwaite's second outing since the close of last season he has little to worry about. He gave one the impression that he will be hitting just as hard as ever this year, but with probably improved timing. His defence was admirable against consistent and varied bowling.

#### Nazarin Has Promise

ONE naturally turned a good deal of attention to K. Nazarin, the young I.R.C. "hope". It is far too early, of course, to come to any



C.C. Garthwaite

"Judgments". Nevertheless I must say I thought yesterday his bowling was better than his batting. He bowls a fairly straightforward delivery, comfortable action and the customary leg break. His chief asset appears to be good length, and sometimes he obtains a neat change of flight and pace. His batting was tentative, but the promise is there. In the main he is a defensive batsman, though when he likes to use his feet he can straight-drive strongly. Like most young cricketers, he has to learn to leave alone the well pitched-up off ball. Yesterday he was nibbling, and the result was three catches to slips and one to the wicketkeeper. His defence is sound and is certain to improve. He comes down well on the ball and watches very faithfully. A little more firmness on the right leg and a bit more enterprise will rapidly make this young man a good, reliable bat.

#### Eminently Satisfactory

I didn't see E. L. Gosano bat (I don't think he did), but he bowled rather well. He made the pitch look quite lively with his two-way breaks which came up sharply. Harry Owen-Hughes was bowling very skilfully, but I expected to see Minu get a bit more "kick" out of a wicket which appeared to be made to order for him. Even so the left-hander had most of the batsmen on the defensive. But Minu, in common with the rest, was clearly not "all-out", but was getting in a little muscle massage. Pereira sent down some useful stuff—much fewer than usual on the leg side. Pearce made him look innocuous because Pearce is quick enough on his feet to smother his best length and most accurate delivery. But even bowling at more or less half speed, Pereira succeeded in getting some sting into his stuff, and his length, on the whole, was first-rate. A. H. Madon had some of the style stroke-play, in the course of which he made active use of a very delightful leg-glance; the type of stroke which, together with

#### Our Daily Golf Hint

The mashie is a club no golfer can afford to ignore; he can discard others when forced to carry his own bag, but the mashie is a member of the team every time.  
—E. Ray.

## Devlin Beaten By Ipoh Champion

Ipoh, Aug. 30.  
Devlin, the English badminton professional, was defeated on Saturday night 4-15 and 5-15 by Tan Cheng Phor, the Perak champion, in the Ipoh town hall. In all matches Devlin showed a wide variety and smoothly executed strokes, and in the singles made Cheng Phor run all over the court by alternating lobs to the back hand with drop shots.

Cheng Phor played a fast game and often surprised by retrieving many difficult placements but was nervous and jumpy at the start of the game. Good overhead smashing and strong defence carried him through.

Interviewed by the Free Press correspondent after the match Devlin said the conditions in the town hall were better than elsewhere although the heat was still intense.

Cheng Phor in his opinion is very good but he considers Leow Kim Fatt more experienced.

Results: Tan Cheng Phor beat J. F. Devlin 15-4, 15-5; Tan Cheng Phor and Hew Lian Foh beat J. F. Devlin and Foo Chong Hai 15-5, 15-10; Tan Cheng Phor and Julia Wong drew with Devlin and Mrs. Woods 15-6, 11-15; Foo Chong Hai beat Jee Kim Teik 15-11, 15-12; Misses Winnie and Helen Khong drew with Misses Low Sun Kim and Felicity Chan 15-10, 14-14, 1-3; Yoon Siew Kang and Choon Wah Poon beat Kim Teik and Toh Gony Tat 15-12, 13-13, 5-2.  
Devlin left Ipoh for Penang.

the perfect off-drive, is surely the most satisfactory shot in cricket? Owen-Hughes, Hayward and Kilbee also had a few minutes of quiet batting, utilising the batsman's ability to re-capturing an accurate "sight" of the ball. But from all points of view the practice appeared to be eminently satisfactory, and if the weather will only be kind and give our players the "break" they need, we have good reason to look forward to the Interport with a fair show of optimism.

## Owens Says British Athletes Do Not Concentrate Sufficiently

### "WON'T BE BOTHERED" HE SAYS

A tall, brown-skinned young man, with a superbly graceful figure, stepped out of a cab that drew up at an hotel—Jesse Owens, the most renowned athlete in the world at the moment.  
He has a charming, unaffected manner. One likes him at once. His head is rather small and well-shaped, with a resolute mouth and chin.  
"I enjoyed my first Olympic Games very much indeed," he said.  
Of course, he was pleased with his own success.

#### GOOD BASEBALL PLAYERS

I asked him if athletics had been hereditary in his family. He said no, but his brothers, who were college boys like himself, were very good baseball players, writes an Evening Standard correspondent.

"I don't myself go in for any other form of athletics than my own particular specialty. The American college system of training makes us concentrate on that to the exclusion of everything else. A walker must only walk, a runner only run, a swimmer only swim, and so on. Otherwise the training would be thrown out of gear."

Referring to the British display at the Olympic Games, Jesse said: "I think you have splendid material in England, but you seem to have been lying down. You don't concentrate enough. If your boys were to take athletics as seriously as the American boys do, there is no reason why they shouldn't do just as well. But of course, while they go into training for only short spells, and the rest of the year do as they please, they can't expect to compete with boys who devote themselves to one particular sport the whole time. The British won't be bothered, that's the difference."

"They go in for sport principally for the pleasure of playing games, and don't attach such importance to winning them," I suggested.  
Jesse laughed, as if he had often heard that joke before. "Yes, I know," he said. "Well, we think that if one goes in for a competition, one



JESSE OWENS IN ACTION

might just as well win it. That seems sense, doesn't it?"  
"You see," he went on, "the winner of a competition is everything—nobody else matters. The loser is just another fellow."  
"Who were the competitors you feared most in Berlin?" I asked him.  
"My own college mates were the toughest material I had to face. The

## MACAO RACE MEETING ON SUNDAY

### THREE EVENTS RESERVED FOR IMPORTED CHINA PONIES

#### H.E. THE GOVERNOR OF MACAO IS NEW OWNER

(By "Captain Foster")

The September race meeting under the auspices of the Macao Jockey Club will be held at the Arca Preta, Macao, on Sunday. First saddling will be rung at 1.30 p.m., and the first race will be run at 2 o'clock. The Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., will berth the s.s. Kinshan and she will leave at 9.30 a.m., returning from Macao at 6 p.m.

Fairly good entries have been received and interest will no doubt be centred in the three special events reserved for the 22 China Ponies which were imported quite recently by the Macao Jockey Club. I am very glad that Macao residents are taking a little more interest in the "Sport of Kings" and it is interesting to note that His Excellency Dr. Joao P. Barbosa, the Macao Governor, Mr. H. W. Bradley, Commissioner of Chinese Customs and Mr. F. J. Gellion, British Vice-Consul, are among the new owners.

The Club is conducting a special dollar cash sweep on the fourth race, the Chung Shan Stakes over a mile and I understand that a good demand had set in for the through tickets cash sweep, which can still be had at \$7 for a through number.

## CURTAIN-RAISER GIVES SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

The curtain-raiser will be in the Tolshan Handicap (First Section) for D and E Classes over six furlongs and here we have something to think about. Diogenes did not appear in public after December 8 of last year when he was second to his stable companion Rousseau in the Stanley Handicap run at Macao out of a field of three starters and it was certainly a fluke. However he is now in the mounted section of the H.K.V.D.C., and let us hope that he will not chuck up the bit after passing the distance post. It may be of interest to know that old China hands have a strong prejudice against black colours and poor old Diogenes cannot be excluded from the category. Much was expected from Diogenes in the year of his grilling but he earned no more than \$225 and eventually discarded by Mr. Eu Tong-ten. He is now owned by the O.C. of the Mounted Section and if Diogenes makes up his mind to run, there is nothing to equal him. Mortmain, who is another member of the section, has not donned the

## TSIN SHAN PLATE Shanghai 4 Looks A Good Thing

The Tsin Shan Plate over five furlongs is confined to the 22 subscription Ponies of the Macao Jockey Club and we should see a good field. I have not seen much of these ponies in action as all of them are practically trained at the Arca Preta, but from reliable information received, Shanghai 4 should have an easy passage to pass the wire to be followed by Hogmanay and Victory Life.

There should also be a good field in the Tolshan Handicap (Second Section) for D and E classes over a mile. Burgomaster or Ocean View can be relied upon to give a good run for our money, but—be careful of Locksmith. The latter pulled up lame after having started only twice at the Annual Race Meeting and was on the sick list for a considerable length of time. He is in fine fettle but it is rumoured that Locksmith is not making the trip. Valley View is dangerous if Ocean View refuses to accept the handicap.

## THE MAIN EVENT AND A SPECIAL \$1 CASH SWEEP

The special dollars cash sweep is on this race, the Chung Shan Stakes over a mile and this is another event for the subscription ponies of the Macao Jockey Club. Being the main event, there are only 12 entries and a field of six runners is almost assured. According to the Racing Record issued by the Joint Shanghai Race Clubs, Shih Yin Grand has had a few wins and places to his credit and was a 1034-p-weight. However I had the pleasure of seeing this pony cantering half-a-mile and he certainly did impress me. Brown Bee belonging to Mr. G. H. Potts came from the Shanghai Race Club with a good reputation and so did Rothesay Bay. I tip these three ponies in the order named and I trust they will not disappoint me. It looks to me that many jockeys will be riding overweight as these Macao subs are on the small side, the majority of them being only 13.0 ponies.

## THE FATSHAN HANDICAP MEDIOCRE FIELD ATTRACTED

Only half-a-dozen mediocre "C" class China Ponies have been entered for the Fatshan Handicap over a mile and it is to be regretted that the Club has not received better support. The stake money for the winner is \$300 and it cannot be argued that the "thing" is not worth the candle. However the "Fat" outfit has entered two ponies, namely, Harvest View and Soldier of China, but, I have good reason to doubt that the latter will make the excursion and Monoplane is, it seems, not fit to make the trip. I cannot see the field to be more than three starters but there will be a good race between Bistre, Great Hall and Harvest View. Great Hall likes the Portuguese course very much and I am of the opinion that this pony of Mr. Li Tsien-fong will just manage to out his brother's Harvest View for the primary honour.

## And In Good Form At Valley

### BLANDFORD PLEASES

(By "Captain Foster")

The heavy downpour during the early hours last Saturday morning was responsible for the absence of the more regular patrons of the Happy Valley training track; nevertheless there was a pretty good attendance of interested owners and keen racing fans to watch the ponies, although there were no sensational gallops.

It may be of interest to know that all the Australian ponies are looking extremely well and I was more than glad to see Able Amazon, Bag Tor, Blandford, Brenta, Holiday Eve, Streamline, The Dunlin, Vixen Tor, Yo Ho and Zodiac on the cinder track doing their stuff. It will be recalled that all these were on the walking list after the big meeting on account of the heavy going and let us hope that Mr. Clerk of the Weather would be kinder during the rest of the season. With the return of our old timers, punters are assured of good sport and keen racing with plenty of thrills during the second half 1936 and we can certainly look forward for substantial dividends.

#### BAG TOR'S GALLOP

In the Australian Ponies Championships run on February 29, there were only five starters, namely, Able Amazon, Strathroy, Bag Tor, Vixen Tor and Yo Ho, and after this great classic event, Strathroy was the only pony to don the silk without a break till the end of the first half. Last Saturday Bag Tor (Mr. Proulx) was given a slow mile but he romped home in 29 seconds for the last quarter, while the stable lady companion Vixen Tor was content to cover the last two furlongs in 33.2/5th seconds.

The gallop of Blandford over the championship course in 2.52.3/5 was not bad performance and it appeared to me that he enjoyed the little jaunt, coming home with the greatest alacrity to finish the last bit in 27 seconds. His last mile was journeyed in 2.09.3/5 and the last half was covered in 57.2/5 seconds. Although Streamline took a second less to negotiate the same route, his finish was not at all convincing and without prejudice, the pony appeared to be little tired at the end.

It will be seen that there were at one time no less than ten classy ponies out of action (majority of them since the big meeting) for several months, and it must therefore be a source of great satisfaction to all the owners to see their chargers once again on the course.

## Sunday's Selections For Macao

### SHI YIN GRAND FOR BIG RACE

(By "Captain Foster")

#### TOISHAN HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

King's Parade  
Diogenes  
Night View

#### TSIN SHAN PLATE

Shanghai 4  
Hogmanay  
Victory Life

#### TOISHAN HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Burgomaster  
Ocean View  
Rugby Star

#### CHUNG SHAN STAKES

Shih Yin Grand  
Brown Bee  
Rothesay Bay

#### FAT SHAN HANDICAP

Great Hall  
Harvest View  
Bistre

#### PAO SHAN PLATE

Merry Door  
City Life  
Wentworth

#### THE LADIES SPRINT

The Snipe  
Blue Sailor  
Gunsmith

## HELEN TO PLAY "KAY" IN U.S. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP LATEST RESULTS

Forest Hills, Sept. 10.  
Miss Helen Jacobs, holder, joined Miss K. Stammers in the semi-final of the United States women's national singles tennis championship to-day, and she will play the English girl for right of entering the final.

Miss Jacobs beat Miss Gussie Fiegerer 6-1, 6-0 without being in the least bit extended.

Miss Dorothy Bundy, the 18 year-old player lost active interest in the championship to-day when she became a victim to Miss Helen Pedersen after a fine three-set match.

Miss Bundy recovered well after losing the first set and secured the second in the tenth game. Another bitter struggle ensued for the deciding set which went to Miss Pedersen at 6-1.

Miss Pedersen meets Miss Alice Marble in the semi-finals.

Frankie Parker, the young American "hopeful" who has been coached by Mercer Benesley, scored a clever victory in the quarter-finals of the men's championship, beating Gregory Mangin, a much more experienced compulser after five exhausting sets.

The first went to 22 games and was won by Mangin, who promptly lost the second set to love, won the third at 6-4 and lost the next two 6-1, 6-3.

Parker will meet the winner of the Donald Budge v. J. McDiarmid match in the semi-final, while in the same bracket, Fred Perry is due to play Bryan Grant, whom he beat at Wimbledon this year.—Reuter.

Donald Budge reached the semi-finals by defeating John McDiarmid in three sets, the Californian being well on top throughout.  
The detailed results of the day's matches were as under.

#### WOMEN'S QUARTER-FINALS

Miss H. Jacobs (U.S.) beat Miss G. Raegener 6-1, 6-0.  
Miss H. Pedersen (U.S.) beat Miss D. Bundy 6-3, 4-6, 6-4.

#### MEN'S QUARTER-FINALS

D. Budge (U.S.) beat J. McDiarmid (U.S.) 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.  
F. Parker (U.S.) beat G. Mangin (U.S.) 10-12, 6-0, 4-6, 6-1, 6-3.  
The semi-final pairings are as follows.

In the women's singles, Miss Jacobs plays Miss K. Stammers, and Miss Pedersen meets Miss Alice Marble. In the men's singles Perry meets Grant and Budge plays Parker.  
—Reuter.



# First Real Cricket Test Between England And Australia Was Played in 1880

## ARMY AQUATICS

E. LANCASTHIRE'S WIN CUP KEEN RACING

The final events of the Hongkong Army Sports Board's twelfth annual swimming championships were held at the Victoria Recreation Club's pool yesterday afternoon.

At the conclusion, the prizes were distributed by Mrs. A. W. Bartholomew. Among the large gathering present were His Excellency Major-General A. W. Bartholomew, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O. and Mrs. Bartholomew, Colonel H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., Major E. C. Eccles, R.A.M.C., Capt. K. L. Owen, Capt. G. H. K. Ryland, Capt. J. R. Thatcher, Lt. E. R. E. Dayrell, Lt. C. A. Luckin, Lt. C. S. Marson, Lt. W. D. O'Grady, Lt. T. B. H. O'Way, and Lt. H. de B. Pridmore. The keenly contested results were as follows:

Small Units Relay: 1. 22nd Company, R.E.; 2. "C" Company (East Lancs). Time: 3 mins. 4 2/5 secs.

Army Boys' Handicap Race: 1. Frank Dwyer; 2. Tony Whigham. Time: 30 1/5 secs.

50 Yards Free-style (Indian): 1. "D" Company Punjab Regiment; 2. "A" Company Punjab Regiment. Time: 32 4/5 secs.

150 Yards Medley Army Championship: 1. Lieut. Calvert (R.E.); 2. Rtn. Hamilton (R.U.R.). Time: 2 mins. 4 secs.

Officers' Race: 1. Lieut. A. Lewis (R.W.F.); 2. Lieut. R. Barron (R.E.); 3. Lieut. D. Lincoln (R.U.R.). Time: 68 3/5 secs.

Army Girls' Handicap: 1. Miss Dorothy Graham; 2. Miss Alexandra Archer. Time: 42 2/5 secs.

Indian Relay Race: 1. 1st Battalion 4th Punjab Regiment; 2. Hongkong Singapore R.A. Time: 3 mins. 24 2/5 secs.

220 Yards Free-style Championship: 1. L/Cpl. Pearce (R.E.); 2. Pte. Taylor (E. Lancs.). Time: 2 mins. 42 1/5 secs.

High Diving: 1. Royal Engineers 6 points; 2. East Lancashire Regiment 4 points; 3. Royal Welch Fusiliers 2 points.

Individual Placings: 1. Cpl. Greg-

## BEN FOORD'S PLANS

PETERSEN SAYS THAT HE WILL TRY AGAIN

(By Fred Dartnell)

London, Aug. 20. Jack Petersen's overthrow by Ben Foord was absolute at Leicester, but the ex-heavyweight champion does not despair. He is not going to retire from the boxing game although he has lost his title.

Petersen's left eye was plastered when he started for Cardiff in his car yesterday, and to an interviewer he remarked that he would try again. Once before Petersen lost his title—against Harvey, from whom he regained it. He is one of the few champions who have come back after being beaten.

"The specialist told me my injured right hand will heal in six weeks, and then for Walter Neusel," said Ben Foord yesterday. The Welshman went to the new champion to meet Neusel on Sept. 29. Ben at present proposes to take a short holiday on the South Coast and towards the end of the year a honeymoon in South Africa is probable. He and Miss Phyllis Sowter, his fiancée, an Ashby-schoolteacher, plan to be married in December.

on (E. Lancs.); 2. Pns. Owens (R.W.F.); 3. L/Cpl. Dunk (R.E.). 100 Yards Free-style (Indian): 1. "D" Company Punjab Regiment; 2. "A" Company Punjab Regiment; 3. Headquarters Punjab Regiment. Time: 1 min. 17 1/5 secs.

Inter-Bde. & Bn. Relay Race: 1. 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment; 2. Royal Engineers; 3. 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers. Time: 3 mins.

Enlisted Boys' Race 50 Yards: 1. Tpr. Seary 5th A.A. Bde. R.A.; 2. Boy Derbyshire 2nd Battalion East Lancs.; 3. Boy Edwards 2nd Battalion R.W.F. Time: 31 1/5 secs.

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200 Yards Free-style: 1. Cpl. McCarthy (E. Lancs.); 2. Rtn. Hamilton (R.U.R.); 3. Lieut. Lewis (R.W.F.). Time: 26 2/5 secs.

The Aggregate Cup was won by the East Lancashire Regiment with 76 points; the Royal Engineers being second with 58 points.

## AND ENGLAND WON A TIGHT GAME

### All-Professional XI In Australia

(By R. Abbit)

The visit of the Australian XI in 1878 had broken the ice and thereafter team after team visited England every other year until 1890 when the interval was extended by one year. The visit of the Australian team of 1880 gives a definite landmark in Australian cricket, for in that year they met the full strength of England in what has come to be known as a Test Match.

The term, by the way, began to be used in the nineties, and I imagine is intended to describe the game as a test between the full strength of two countries.

But to revert to 1880. Although the first Test Match in England was played, not only was it very nearly not played, but the Australian tour came within an ace of being wrecked. These were the days of speculative tours and for some reason or another difficulties in Australia made it uncertain whether the team would start or not. Eventually they did go but by that time the fixture list had all been made up in England, and the Australians were forced to play matches against odds in Club Cricket in the North and Midlands. Mr. Altham records that at one time they were reduced to advertise for opponents. However, in the end Mr. C. W. Alcock, the enthusiastic Surrey secretary, persuaded Lord Harris to get together a representative English team but the game could not be played until the 6th, 7th and 8th of September at the Oval.

#### THE PERSONNEL

Before dealing with the game let us turn to the personnel of the Australian side. Of the 1878 side W. L. Murdoch, Spofforth, Alec Bannerman, Blackham and Boyle were with the 1880 side. Murdoch made his first appearance as captain. It is true that their bowling lacked the service of Garrett and Altham, but Spofforth, Boyle and Palmer bowled magnificently throughout the season.

The English XI was a very strong one, although it is recorded that some of the leading amateurs had to be recalled from Scotland where they had already commenced their shooting. Lord Harris had, among others, W. G. Grace, G. F. Grace, A. C. Steel, A. P. Lucas, Alfred Lytton, and Frank Penn, while the professionals, Shaw and Morley, bowled excellently. The English team made 420 in their first innings of which W. G. Grace scored 152, but in fairness to the Australians it must be remembered that Spofforth was off the field with a damaged hand and so the Australians had practically to rely on Palmer and Boyle. In their first knock the visitors could only manage to collect 149 and it looked all Lombard Street to a China orange on an innings victory. But Murdoch beat W.G.'s score and their last two wickets added 140 runs. Murdoch was not out. Set to get 57 runs to win, Lord Harris altered the order and England promptly lost five wickets for twenty runs. W.G. and Penn then hit off the balance without further loss.

#### TWO CONCLUSIONS

This match, whether or no the fact was recognised at that time I do not know, proved conclusively two things: one that the Australian batting, their former great weakness, had improved enormously; and secondly that the Australians were at their best when fighting an up-hill game. It had always been recognised that their bowling was very fine indeed and that their fielding and especially throwing was probably better than the average strong side in England. Those who could read the writing on the wall must have, I think, on the 8th day of September, 1880, foreseen some such occurrence as took place on the 28th and 29th of August 1892.

The game more or less finished that four in which they had won 5, lost 2 and drawn 4 of the eleven eleven-a-side matches which were

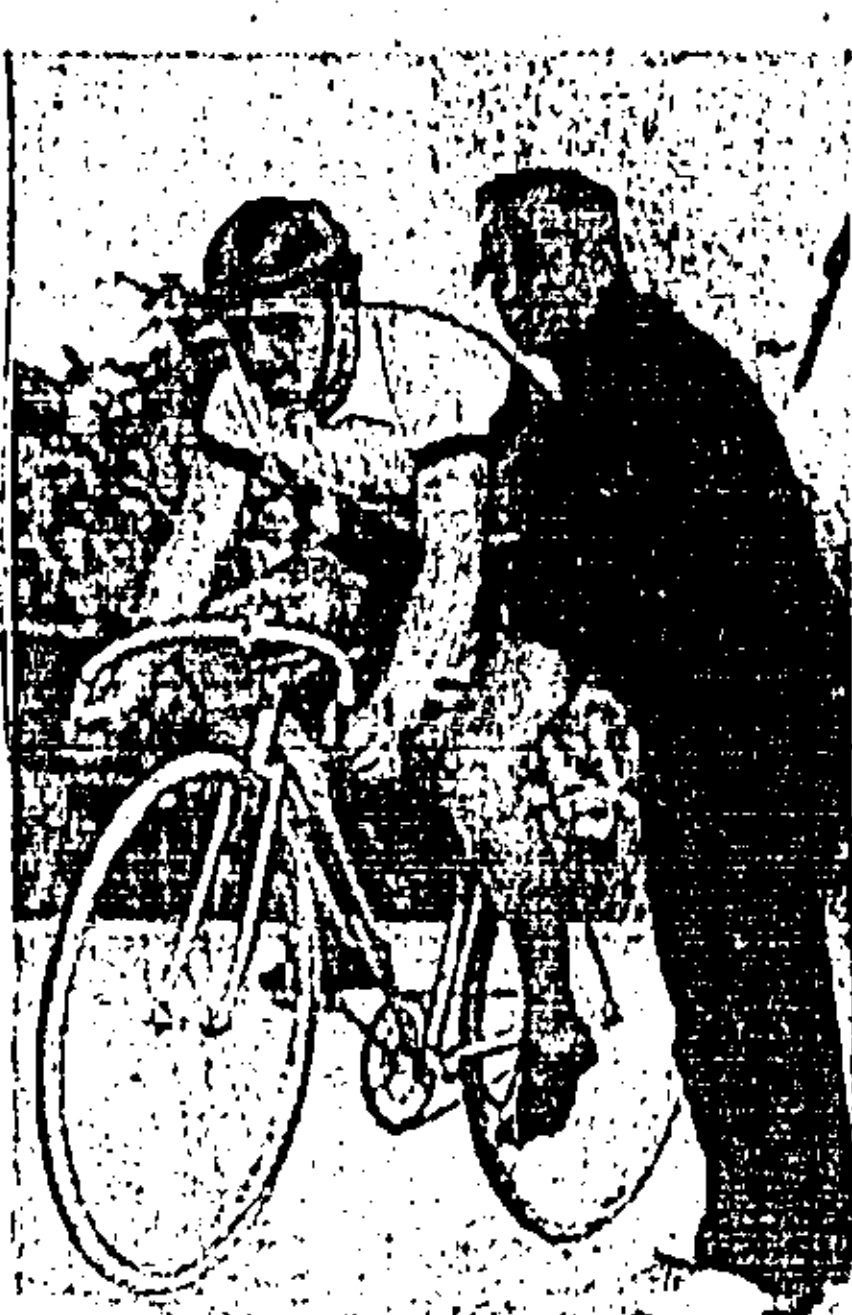
#### HOME FOOTBALL

### BIG SCORES AT SHEFFIELD

#### TEN GOALS IN A MATCH

London, Sept. 10. Sheffield Wednesday, playing at home to Everton in a first division English Football League match, won a high-scoring match of ten goals by 6-4.

In the southern section of the third division, Clapton Orient were visited by Cardiff, the Welshmen winning by the only goal scored, while Brighton journeyed to Newport and won handsomely by four goals to one.—Reuter.



Toni Merkens, the German racing cyclist, who won a good medal at the World Olympics has turned professional.

## INTERPORT BOWLS

### Shanghai Defeats Hongkong

Shanghai, Sept. 10. In the Interport Bowls Championship, Shanghai defeated Hongkong by 10 to 15.—Reuter.

Shanghai, Sept. 10. Hongkong took the lead on the third head when they scored a two, followed by a one on the next head, and they held their lead till the thirteenth head.

On the twelfth, tenth and fourteenth heads Shanghai laid three. Hongkong scored ones on the sixteenth, nineteenth and twentieth heads, and Shanghai scored a two on the last head.

Hyde Lay played an excellent game and was well supported but neither he nor the side generally had much of the luck.

The sides were as follows:

Hongkong: A. Hyde Lay (skip), A. H. Alves (three), J. S. McGown (two), and A. E. Coates (lead).

Shanghai: C. W. Glover (skip), T. G. Main (three), C. Richards (two) and S. Medina (lead).—United Press.

## HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

SUB-COMMITTEES FOR SEASON

BADGES GIVEN

The appointment of an Umpires' Board, the election of several sub-committees, the hearing of the report of the Awards sub-committee, and the fixing of dates for the Civilian versus Combined match and for the commencement of the Inter-section tournament made up the business dealt with at a Council meeting of the Hongkong Hockey Association, held at St. Andrew's Church hall last evening.

Mr. A. A. Dand was in the chair and those present were Mr. F. A. Kemp (Hon. Secretary), G. Sommer (Hongkong Hockey Club), Lieut. J. P. Williams (Army), Lieut. R. C. Garwood (Navy), Mr. A. E. P. Guest (Radio), Mr. G. T. Palmer (Y.M.C.A.), Mr. L. Tyler (Police), Mr. A. S. Xavier (Argonauts), Mr. K. Hussain (Kowloon Indians T. C.), M. E. A. P. Alves, (Hercules) and Capt. G. W. P. Kimm.

After Comd. J. E. Broome, R.N., Capt. G. W. P. Kimm, Mr. A. E. P. Guest and Mr. G. T. Palmer had been appointed to serve on the Umpires' Board, the Chairman expressed his thanks to the out-going members for their work last year. There had been, he said, an improvement in hockey generally, and he hoped further betterment would be made this season.

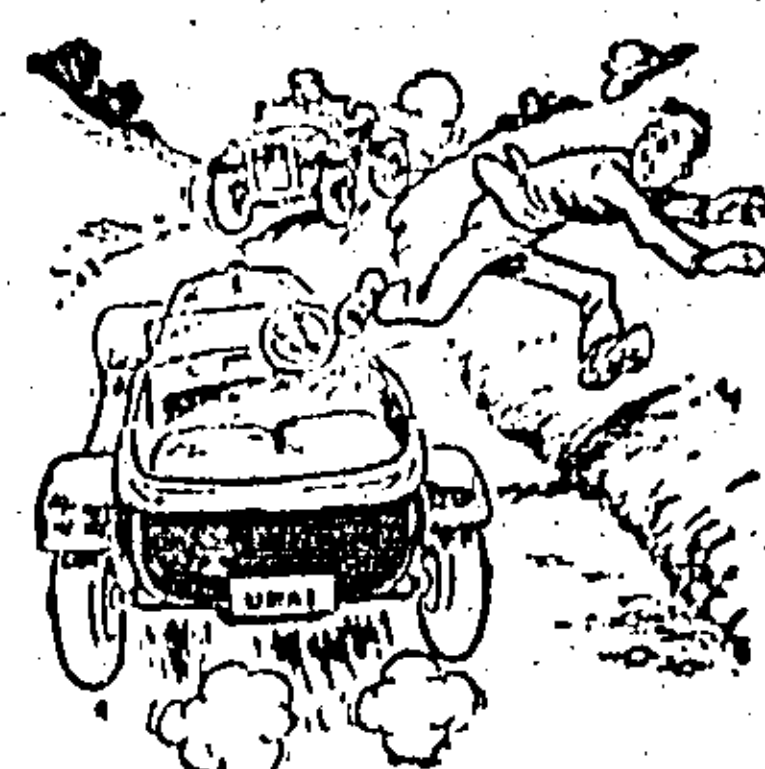
The following were elected to serve on the Selection Committee for any colony representative matches: Comd. Wathupe, R.N., Mr. G. T. Palmer, Mr. A. M. Xavier, the Hon. Secretary of the Association, and the Army Hockey Secretary.

Mr. W. Woodward, Mr. L. Tyler and Mr. K. Hussain were appointed members of the Civilian Selection Sub-committee. It was also decided that this sub-committee should run the Association Inter-section Tournament as well.

The date for the commencement of the tournament was fixed for Tuesday, October 6, while Sunday, December 13, was chosen for the Civilian versus Combined Services match.

#### DRIVE FOR FUNDS

In aid of Interport funds, the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Association are holding a Bridge and Mah Jong drive on Friday, November 6, at 3.15 p.m. at the Gloucester Hotel. Tickets will be on sale at \$1 each, including tea.

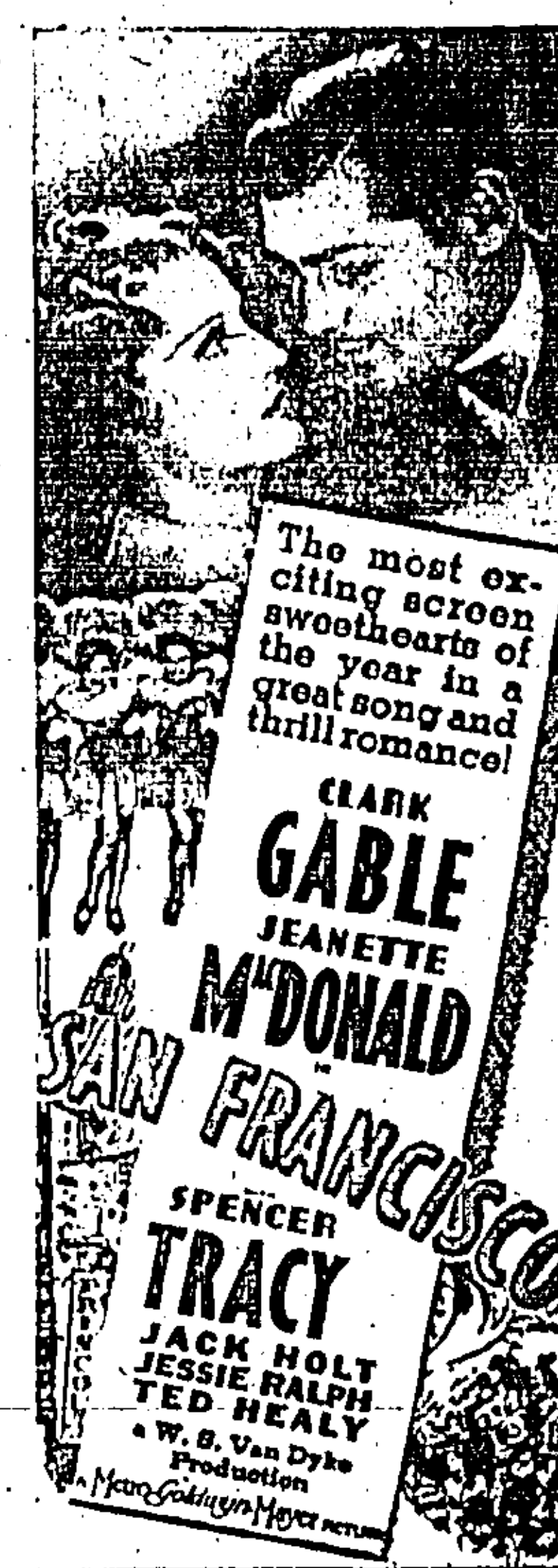


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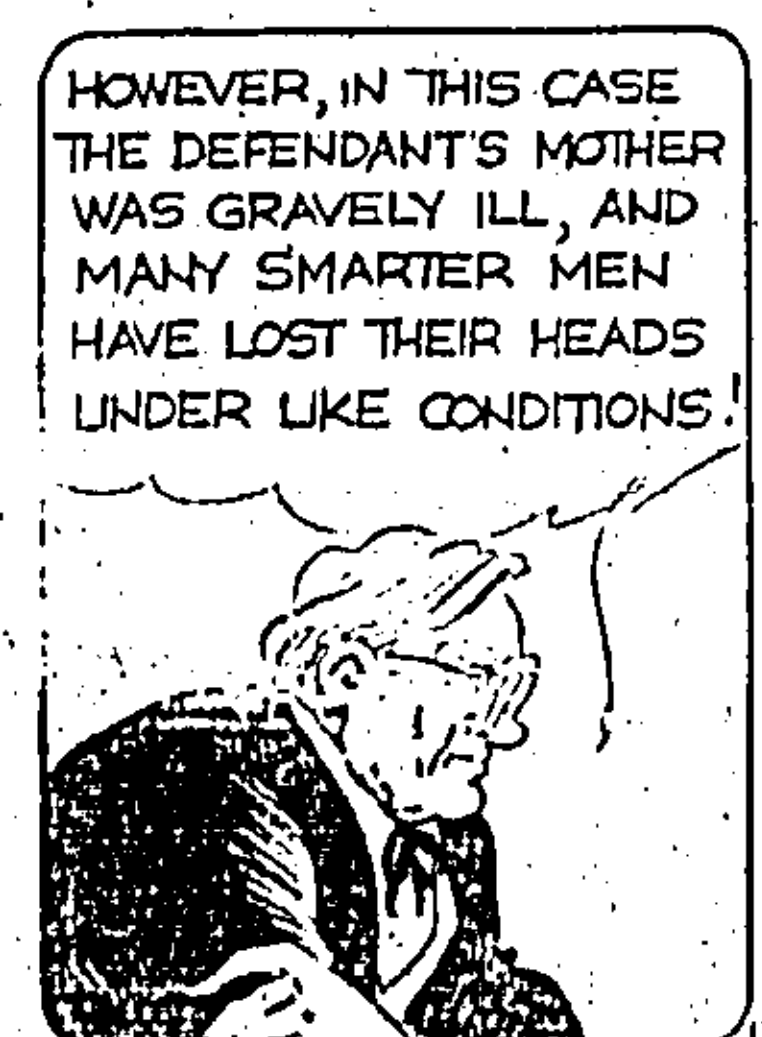
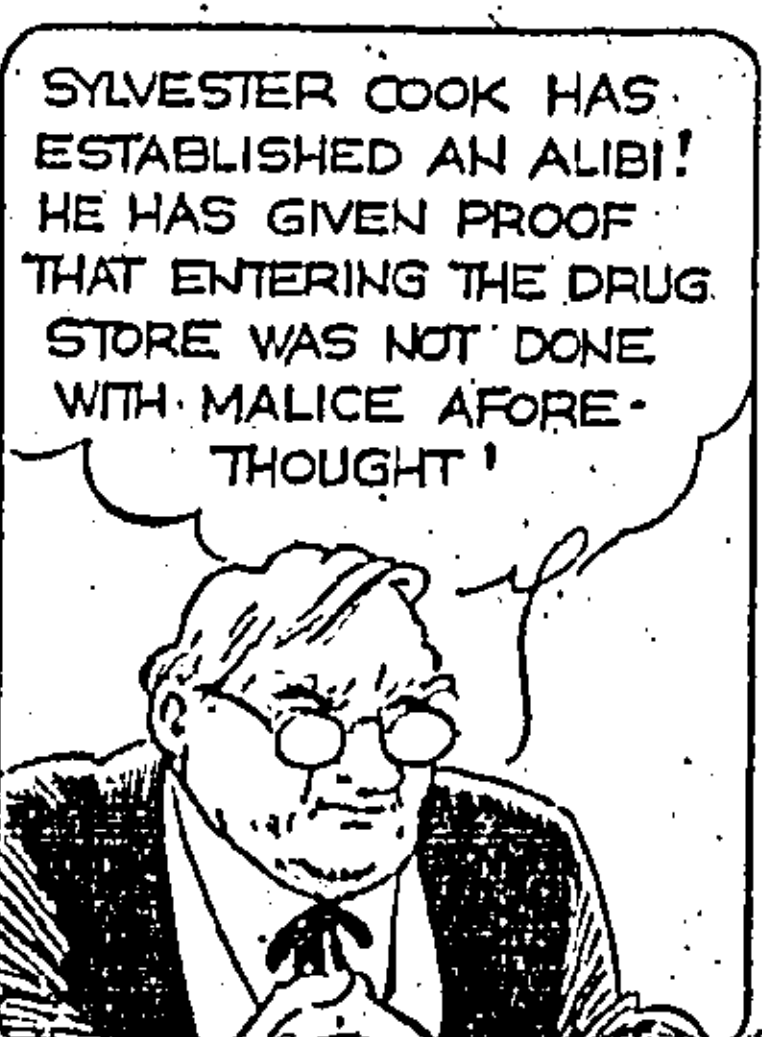
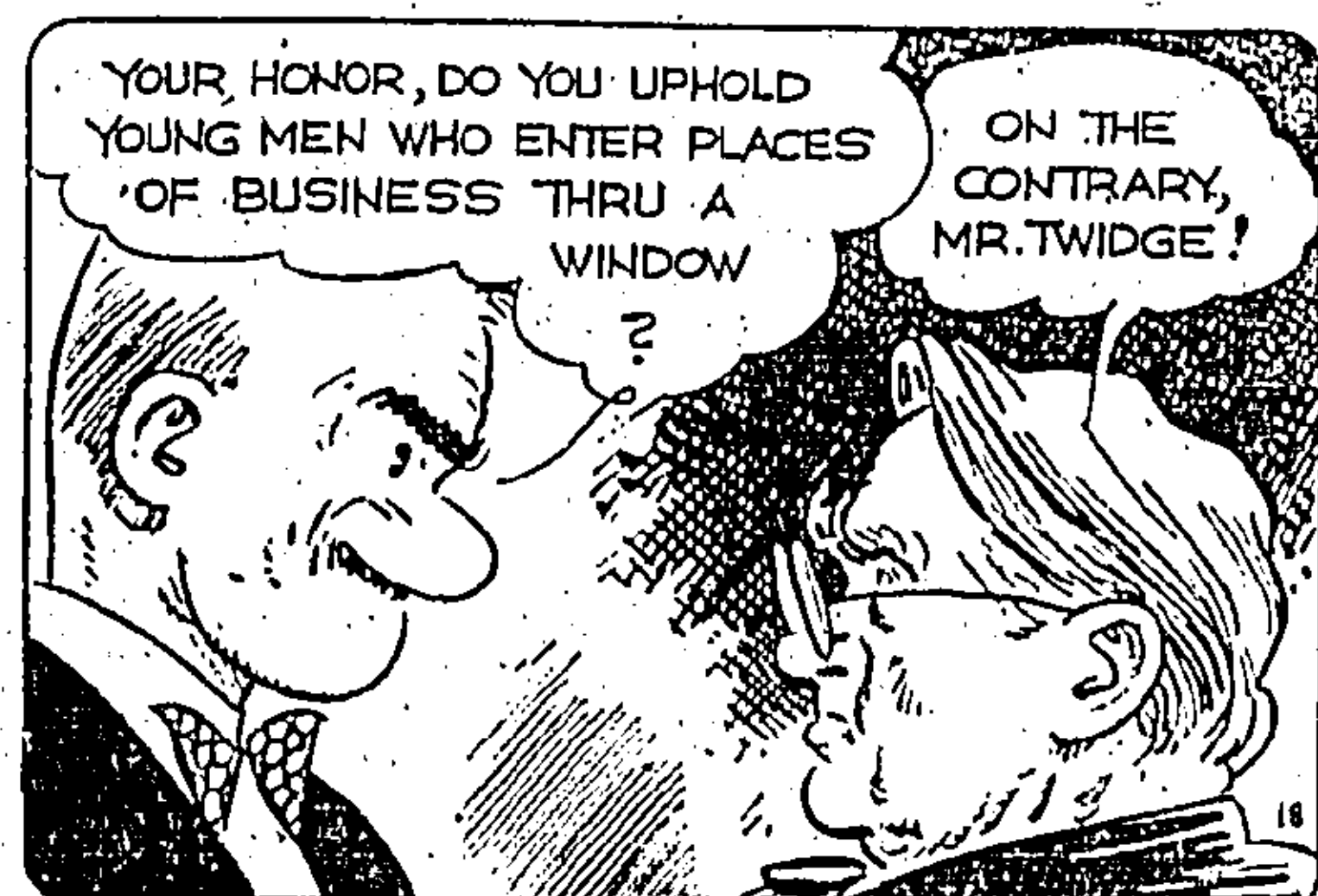
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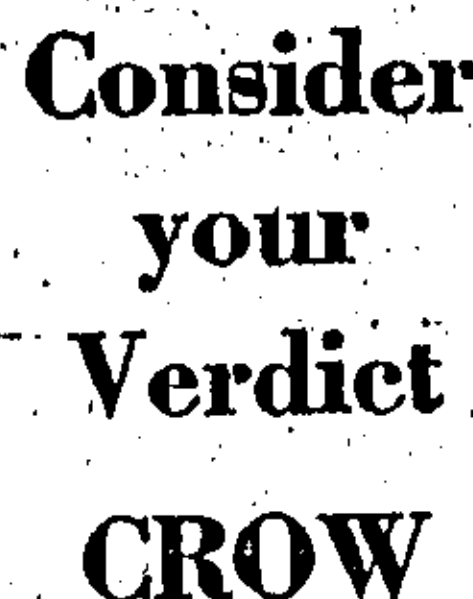
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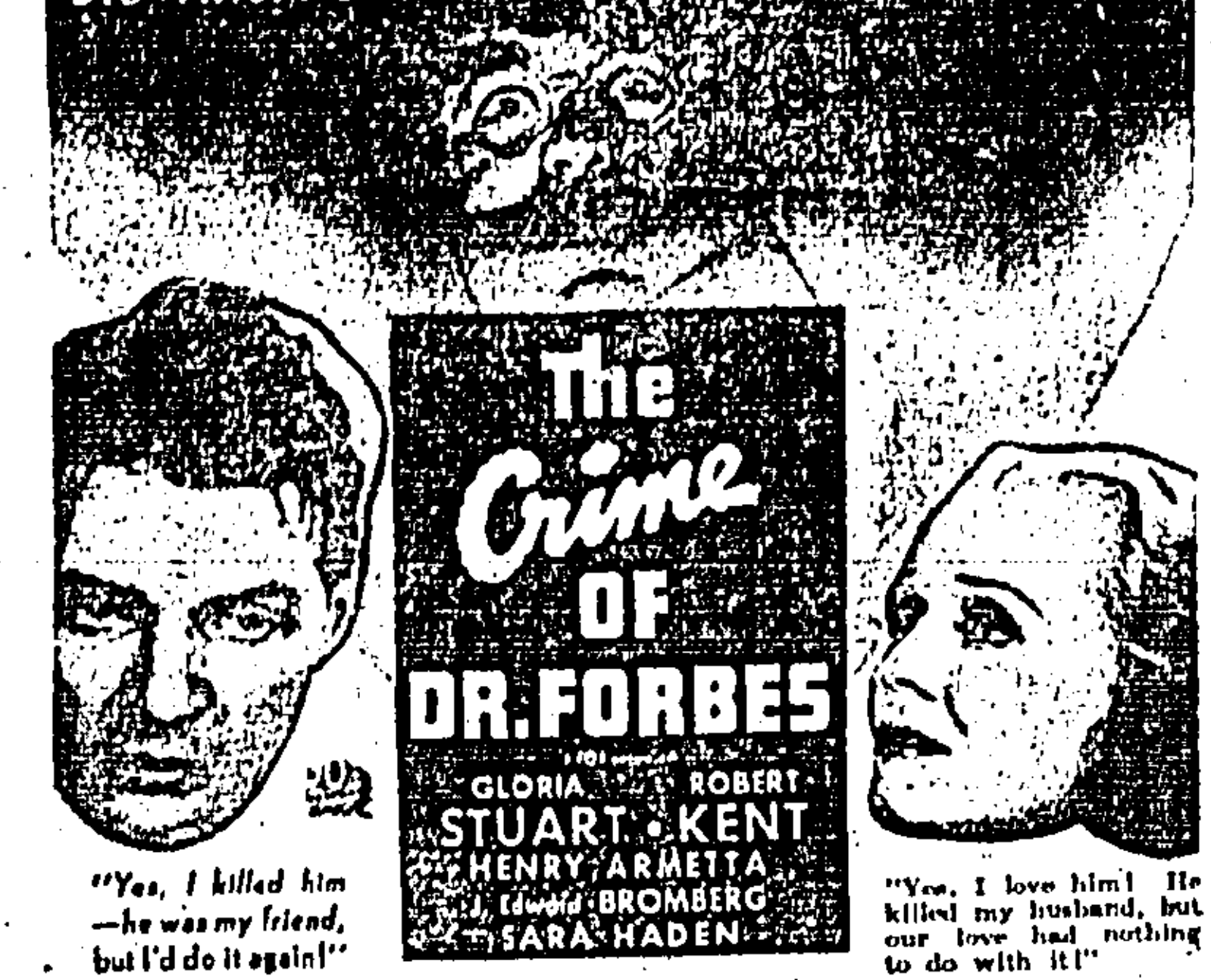


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## ST. LOUIS CLOSER TO GIANTS

DRIVING TO REGAIN LEAGUE LEAD

CLOSE RACE FOR PENNANT

New York, Sept. 10. The St. Louis Cardinals pressed closer to the National League leaders, the New York Giants, by beating Boston three to two to-day. The Cardinals hit thirteen times to Boston's five, but lost many scoring opportunities. Berger hit a homer for the Braves, but his mates blundered into five errors.

New York, meanwhile, was pitted against Cincinnati. The Giants failed to hold the Reds who hit fifteen times, including home runs by Lombardi and Goodman, and scored seven. Giants tallied twice on seven blows.

Chicago recovered itself in a game with Philadelphia, and won three to two, with eight hits to seven. Camilli hit a circuit blow for the Phillies. Pittsburgh kept pace with the Cubs, scoring eleven runs on fourteen hits against Brooklyn's five on eleven safeties. Swift gave the Pirates a homer and Bordagaray hit one for the Dodgers.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Philadelphia won from St. Louis, twelve to seven, with sixteen hits, including a circuit by Higgins. St. Louis hit eight, Cliff knocking one over the bleachers.

Detroit's nine hits netted five runs against Washington, which managed a couple of tallies on five hits, Hogan homering.

New York, which has already won the pennant, lost to Cleveland, four to five, with thirteen hits to fourteen. Gehrig hit one home run for the Yankees and Campbell and Trasky gave the Indians a pair.—Reuter.

## Balfour Plan Encouraged

AMERICAN LABOUR TAKES A HAND

London, Sept. 10. The Trade Union Congress at present meeting at Plymouth, has received a cable from the President of the American Federation of Labour, Mr. William Green, urging the Congress to try to prevent the limitation of Jewish immigration to Palestine.

The Congress is urged to oppose revision, or abridgement of the Balfour Declaration, which governs the immigration plan for Jews in Palestine, and to which the Arab population is so objecting, and backing its demands for readjustment with arms. By the Balfour Declaration, the British Government pledged itself to create a Jewish national home in Palestine, but to respect the rights of the Arab population.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

## NEW EMPIRE FLYING-BOAT

TO BE EMPLOYED IN MEDITERRANEAN

London, Sept. 10. The second of the fleet of 20 Empire flying boats under construction by Short Brothers was launched at Rochester to-day.

Originally intended for preliminary long-distance experimental flights in connection with the North Atlantic Air Mail route, this boat, the Caladenia, will, owing to the loss of the Scipio off Crete recently, have to go with the Canopus, the first of the new craft, into regular service in the Mediterranean on Empire routes.

This will mean a delay of six weeks or more in the start of the long-range test flights which will now probably nearly coincide with the early flights of the Mayo composite craft specially designed for the North Atlantic Service.—British Wireless.

## NON-INTERVENTION SCHEME

PORTUGAL URGED TO PARTICIPATE

London, Sept. 10. It is expected that the second meeting of the International Committee for the application of the agreement regarding non-intervention in Spain will be summoned by the Chairman, Mr. W. S. Morrison, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, within the next few days.

During the last few days the British Government has caused repeated and urgent representations to be made in Lisbon and they are still in touch, through the British Ambassador, Sir Charles Wingfield, with the Portuguese Government regarding Portugal's membership of the Committee of Application. The Portuguese Government is aware of the general character of the proceedings at yesterday's meeting of the Committee at which it was not represented.—British Wireless.

## ITALIANS STRIKE AT REDS

SECRET SOCIETY DISCOVERED

ALL LEADERS ARRESTED

Rome, Sept. 10. Despite Government efforts to secure secrecy, it is reported that Ovra (the voluntary organisation for the suppression of anti-Fascism) has discovered and smashed a large Communist organisation, with headquarters in Rome and branches at Leghorn, Grosseto and elsewhere in Tuscany. It is understood that some of the ringleaders of the organisation are high officials of the Fascist Party, and it is reported that all the leaders have been arrested and confined in the Regina Coeli gaol in Rome. It is also stated that several scores of workmen have been arrested. It is understood that a young bricklayer, arrested for wearing a red necktie, betrayed the group.—United Press.

## PREPARE FOR RETURN HOP



The American sportsman, Harry Richman, and his co-pilot and friend, Dick Merrill, who recently flew from New York to England, have arrived at Speke aerodrome from London and are making preparations for a return flight across the Atlantic. Their start is dependant upon the weather. Merrill, now a New York resident, was formerly an officer in the R.A.F. He is on the right in the above photograph.

## CHINA'S PROGRESS REMARKED

MANUFACTURES HER OWN NEEDS

Shanghai, Sept. 11. Mr. Lawrence D. Seymour, vice-president of Dodge and Seymour, manufacturers' agents of New York, arrived here to-day. He said despite the increase in domestic manufacturing, enabling China to provide for herself many products previously imported, the friendly trade relations will prevail between the United States and China.

He did not expect American business in China to decline, he said, pointing out that increased consumption is likely to benefit foreign exporters and that better economic conditions in China will increase the amount of goods consumed.

For example, the enormous increased social intercourse between Chinese and foreigners since his last visit to the Far East twelve years ago. "This is one thing all friends of China hoped for," he said.

Mr. Seymour leaves on the President Tuft on Saturday to visit other points in the Far East.—United Press.

## SOCIAL PROBLEMS NEED OF RESEARCH URGED

London, Sept. 10. A large number of sectional meetings of the British Association was held to-day at Blackpool. Several newspapers devote editorial comment to the Presidential address delivered yesterday by Sir Josiah Stamp on "The Impact of Science on Society."

Sir Josiah Stamp's main point was the need for research devoted specifically to social problems created by scientific advances. He advocated that future endowments for research should be applied more to biological and human sciences than to applied physical sciences.—British Wireless.

### KING GEORGE FUND

London, Sept. 10. The total of the King George V National Memorial Fund now stands at £219,833.—British Wireless.

## FILIPINO WEALTH TO BE TAXED

NEW "SOAK-THE-RICH" LEGISLATION

WILL YIELD BIG REVENUE

Manila, Sept. 11. Drastic revision of the income tax law, along the "soak-the-rich" lines of the recent United States legislation, is contemplated in a bill which passed the Assembly's second reading last night.

The chief features of this measure are, first, personal exemptions for married persons are to be reduced from 6,000 to 4,000 pesos, and for unmarried persons from 4,000 to 2,000 pesos; secondly, the personal tax rate remains at three per cent; thirdly, a sliding scale surtax on personal incomes exceeding 10,000 pesos will be from one per cent, up to 30 per cent on incomes exceeding 22,000,000 pesos. This is against the present half per cent. tax on incomes over 10,000 pesos and up to 20 per cent, on incomes over 5,000,000 pesos.

Fourthly, the bill contemplates the raising of the corporation income tax from three to six per cent, and fifthly a new tax of 25 per cent, on accumulated corporate profits in excess of 15 per cent, of the capital stock, exceptions being banks and insurance companies.

The measure becomes effective as soon as enacted, and is expected to provide the Government with an additional revenue of 4,000,000 pesos annually.

After third reading the bill goes to the President.—Reuter.

## S'hai Market Activity

FOLLOWS KWANGSI SETTLEMENT

Shanghai, Sept. 11. The Shanghai foreign exchange market and the local commodity markets are showing unmistakable signs of increased activity following the announcement of a peaceful settlement of the Kwangsi situation.

Local businessmen are especially jubilant at the solution because they foresee an early resumption of an active demand for staples during the next few months.

The belief is being expressed that the Central Government's programme for the financial reorganisation of Kwangtung, which is already well under way, will be duplicated in Kwangsi, thereby increasing the amount of money likely to flow into legitimate trade channels.

For the last two days large quantities of piece goods, sundries and cigarettes have been shipped to Kwangsi from Shanghai by large trading firms.

In addition there have been telegraphic trade communications between Shanghai and Peking, Wuchow, Nanning and other Southwestern cities.—United Press.

## SYMPATHY FOR WORKERS

BUT BRITISH AGAINST INTERVENTION

Plymouth, Sept. 10. The Trades Union Council to-day carried a resolution extolling the self-sacrifice and bravery of the Spanish workers and expressing sympathy for their cause. The vote was carried on a show of hands by an overwhelming majority.

The Congress had previously rejected an amendment favouring intervention on behalf of the Spanish Government, by 3,000,000 votes against 51,000.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

## CANADA'S CIVIC SPIRIT

PAISED BY LONDON LORD MAYOR

London, Sept. 10. Sir Percy Vincent, Lord Mayor of London, Lady Vincent and the City of London delegation who attended the Vancouver Golden Jubilee celebrations, reached London to-night on their return from Canada.

Sir Percy said in all towns of Canada he found an active civic spirit, whatever the shade of political opinion. He regretted that although he had received a large number of invitations to visit the United States he had found it impossible to do so.—British Wireless.

### TERM EXTENDED

London, Sept. 10. The Colonial Office announces that Sir Wilfred Jackson, whose normal term of office as Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Mauritius was due to expire on August 30, 1936, has been asked to extend his service to enable him to complete certain outstanding tasks of importance in the Colony, with which he has been closely concerned.—British Wireless.

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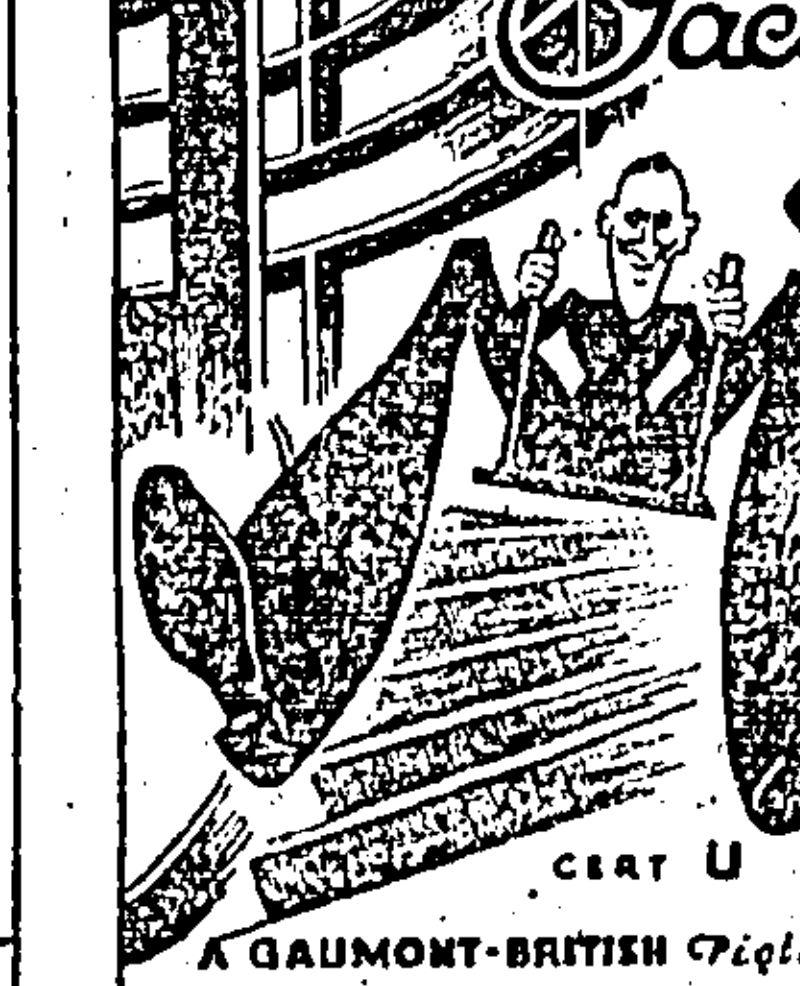
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Li Tat, 29, of 127 Tai Nam Street, was brought before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy for stealing three chickens from Chan Luk-shing at Po Kung village.

Defendant was seen yesterday in Boundary Street carrying three chickens over his shoulder in a black bag. He was arrested by an Indian constable and admitted having stolen them from complainant's chicken yard. Complainant stated that defendant had obtained entrance to his yard by pulling a padlock off its fastenings, the lock having been found thrown on the ground near to the entrance.

His Wqrship was informed that the value of the chickens was \$2.10, and sentenced defendant to one month in gaol. Defendant had had one previous conviction on a charge of larceny for which he was gaoled for one month.

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